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Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of . . . any . . . disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding $100.
Sec. 43. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects of give such notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.
The Board considers the above sections to apply to Diptheria, Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Measles and Whooping Cough.
J. CLARENCE HOWE, Chairman. P.O. Address, So. Weymouth.
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Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, November 29, 1892.

It is already apparent that the subject of immigration is to occupy a very prominent place in the deliberations of the coming session of Congress. The publications consequent upon the colera quarantine had the effect of opening the eyes of many to the enormous number of immigrants, many of them of the sort that can by no stretch of the imagination be considered desirable additions to the population, and Senators and Representatives now realize that something must be done, and quickly, if a very troublesome era is to be avoided. It is generally conceded that the present immigration laws, even if strictly enforced, which labor dealers charge is not done, are insufficient.

There are already a number of men in both Senate and House who favor an absolute prohibition of immigration for a stated period of years as the best thing that can be done, and if partisan politics can be kept out of the question it is believed that a bill embodying that idea might become a law; but it will be difficult to keep politics out of the discussion, and already the plank in the last democratic national platform, which reads: "We condemn and denounce any and all attempts to restrict the immigration of the industrious and worthy of foreign lands," is being used as an argument to prevent democratic members of the House committing themselves to the support of the prohibitory idea. The knights of labor and other bodies of organized labor which have pronounced in favor of the prohibition of immigration will pay no small part in the consideration of the matter by Congress, and although they may not succeed in getting a prohibitory law, the discussion of the question is certain to result in a betterment of the present law, particularly in regard to what are known as "pauper immigrants" and those who come here under contract, actual or implied. It is certainly a question worthy of the deepest study of our best minds, for just as sure as night follows day there is a period beyond which immigration will be a menace to the welfare of the Americans, born or adopted. Whether that period has been reached is what must be decided by Congress. The report of the joint House and Senate Committee, which has been investigating this subject will be ready soon after Congress meets and will start the ball to rolling.

The fight over the anti-option bill will be renewed in the Senate as soon as Congress meets, and it will not be surprising if there are some sensational denouncements in connection therewith. The bill is opposed by a minority only, but it is a very determined minority, and as Vice-President Morton is known to be opposed to the adoption of a rule that will shut off debate, it may be able to carry out the threat its members are now openly making of talking the bill to death, in spite of a majority of the Senate being ready to vote for it if given an opportunity. The advance guard of a wealthy lobby from the great commercial exchanges of the large cities is already in Washington prepared to fight the bill with money and the ingenuity of the hired professional lobbyist.

Jerry Simpson is in this town, and he has several able bodied opinions along with him. He is opposed to an extra session of Congress, and he is opposed to the proposed repeal of the 10 per cent. tax on the circulation of state banks. He denies that he ever said that the mission of the peoples' party was ended and that its members should go into the Democratic party.

Government officials seem to regard the alleged violation of the Monroe Doctrine by an agent of the French Government who is in charge of the bankrupt Panama railroad as a greatly exaggerated affair. Still an investigation is being made by the State Department, and, of course, if the Monroe Doctrine has been violated there will be trouble, as this government is bound to live up to that doctrine, even if it leads directly to war.

The White House certainly appears to be getting more than its share of mourning these days. Within a few weeks Mrs. Harrison and two of the prominent official employes of the Executive office have died and now Dr. Scott, the venerable father-in-law of President Harrison, is ill and nearly all hope of his recovery has been abandoned. He is in his ninty-fourth year and has never been entirely well since his daughter's death, when he insisted upon going to Indianapolis with the remains.

According to the stories told by the democratic Senators and Representatives now in Washington, the pressure upon them for office has begun early and is something awful for them to contemplate. Still none of them think of resigning on that account.

WILLARD.

Our Library.

We copy from an article on the "Increase in Public Libraries" published in Public Opinion, quoted from the Philadelphia Press which is somewhat flattering to our library, the following: The increase in the number of libraries during the past few years has been highly encouraging. As might be expected, Massachusetts leads all other states in this respect, about $5,500,000 having been given by private citizens for the establishment and endowment of these institutions in that state. Most of its flourishing inland cities and large towns have public libraries accommodated in tasteful structures, erected by the authorities, or more commonly from some public spirited citizen. Connecticut has much to show in this respect also, but outside of New England the Eastern states have not done much in the way of establishing libraries. We refer not to public school libraries but to public libraries of which Hartford and Ansonia, Conn., and Weymouth and Northampton, Mass., furnish such excellent examples, and of which the Boston Public Library is the highest realization.

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On the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day, the South High school eleven and an eleven from the Lincoln club played an interesting game on the ball grounds, the South Highs easily winning by the above score. The points were made by sending the ball around the end. The Lincoln club played very well considering it was their first game. The men lined up as follows:

South High.		Lincoln Club.
Stowers	Right end	Blanchard.
Vining, H.	Right tackle	Williams.
Torrey	Right guard	Carroll.
Moore	Centre	Thompson.
Beals	Left guard	Howes.
Reidy	Left tackle	Burrell.
Tirrell, P. H.	Left end	Stetson.
Holbrook	Quarter-back	Hollis.
Tirrell, A. B. / Seelers	Half-backs	Vining, S. / Sherman.
Shaw	Full-back	Loud.

Score, South High, 14; touch-downs, Shaw, Tirrell, Seelers; referee, Fearing; umpire, Cook.

Items of Interest.

—Henry Laurens Dawes, senior senator from Massachusetts, who has declined to stand for re-election, has been 35 years in public office, and 17 years in the senate. He is now 76, but vigorous and hale.

—At a recent democratic celebration in Stoughton, they used ball cartridges with which to celebrate the victory and Thomas Connell is now carrying one of the balls in his leg as a reminder of the event.

—Critchlow, the striker on trial at Pittsburg, Pa., for the murder of a Pinkerton detective on July 6, during the riot at Homestead, Pa., was acquitted last week, the jury believing his alibi.

—Two sisters who had not seen each other for thirty-nine years, met in Portland the other day. They were born in Ireland and came to this country when very young.

—The Plymouth Unitarian church was burned Tuesday evening of last week and there was a narrow escape from a more serious conflagration which at one time threatened the safety of the entire southeastern part of the village. In the belfry, 87 feet high, was a bell cast by Paul Revere in 1801, which rang the curfew many years. The structure and its contents were an entire loss.

—William Little, one of the best known men in Newbury, has been summoned to appear in court to answer to the complaint charging him with violation of the election. It is alleged that Mr. Little refused to go into a booth to mark his ballot, but insisted in marking it where he pleased. His will be in the nature of a test case.

—A statement is made by the Treasurer of the recent 250th anniversary celebration at Gloucester, which shows the amount received by subscriptions to have been $15,155.53. After paying all bills a balance of $2214.01 remains on hand.

—The city of Lynn has been presented with what is supposed to be the oldest piece of iron cast in this country. It is a kettle which has a well authenticated history as having been cast in Saugus, now Lynn, in 1642.

—Henry A. Faxon, of Quincy, sent his check for $1000, to Mrs. Susan Fessenden, last week, for the purpose of carrying on the no-license work in cities which are about to hold municipal elections.

—The age of chivalry is still on in Quincy. It is reported that two ardent swains of that burg, recently went into the woods on a Sunday and fought a battle to the finish, on account of a young lady.

—The people of Plymouth are not to be deprived of their Curfew bell. In the destruction by fire of the Unitarian church the bell which has been rung for more than a hundred years was destroyed, but hereafter Curfew will be rung from the old Pilgrim church tower.

—$20,000 has been carried in Rockland by popular subscription to build a new factory for Chipman & Calley. Work will be begun at once on the factory which will be 200 feet long, 40 wide and four stories high.

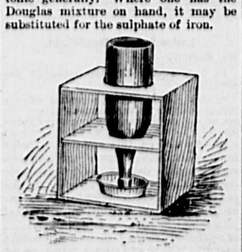
—Four schools in Plymouth were closed last week to avoid diptheria contagion, several fatal cases having occured in the neighborhood within the past few weeks.

—The people about North Hanover are getting somewhat excited in regard to highway robberies, they have had two quite bold ones within the past three months.

—Rev. D. M. Wilson, pastor of the First church, Quincy, has resigned and preached his farewell sermon last Sabbath.

Water in the Poultry Yard.

Water vessels must be filled fresh at least once a day, and so arranged that the birds cannot scratch dirt into them or make them foul. During the winter take care that snow is not allowed to fall into the drinking vessels; any real quantity of snow water reduces flesh in the fowls very soon. During cold weather it is a wise precaution to add to the water a few drops of a solution of sulphate of iron; just enough to give a slight mineral taste. This will in a measure guard against roup and act as a tonic generally. Where one has the Douglas mixture on hand, it may be substituted for the sulphate of iron.


A WATERING DEVICE FOR POULTRY.

The cut illustrates a simple watering device which Country Gentleman explains is made as follows: Make an oblong box with two crosspieces or shelves; in one make a hole the size of the neck of the bottle intended to be used; in the other make a hole the size of bottom of bottle, then use a common flowerpot saucer for water. Be sure to have the lower shelf made so as to hang the bottle a little clear of the bottom of saucer.

Milking Machines.

"It would be strictly true to say that we don't know of any milking machine in successful operation anywhere," says Hoard's Dairyman, "but what we don't know would make several books. There may be such a machine in existence, or many of them. It is claimed, however, by Dr. Babcock and others who have made special studies in this line that in the nature of things the introduction of machine methods of milking would result in a poor quality of milk and a shortened period of lactation, and in general in lowering the standard of our dairy animals.'"

BOSTON THEATRES.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—At the popular Grand Opera House next week Champion James J. Corbett will make his theatrical debut in Boston. He will be seen in a play written expressly for him, entit'ed, "Gentleman Jack." It is said of this drama that it shows the champion to excellent advantage and gives to him ample opportunities to display his qualifications as an actor. And, right here, it may be remarked that handsome Jim is an actor of ability. Since adopting the stage as a profession he has shown an aptitude for acting which has seldom come to people who have studied the art and practiced it for years.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE.—W. S. Cleveland's All-United Minstrels will be the attraction the coming week at the Bowdoin Square theatre. This organization has in the past enjoyed a most enviable reputation, and indications would point to the fact, judging from the list of artists announced, that the high standard of the organization will be maintained during the engagement. The company carries on its roll fifty-four people. In vocalists, the company is unusually favored. There are twelve numbers in the first part including the olio. Really the Cleveland programme includes two distinct shows, the second half consisting of Sheik Hadj Thar Ben Mahommed's Arabs, an organization of fourteen people, engaged at an expense each week of $1500. These are the genuine full-bred, untamed demons of the desert, who surpass any race in athletic attainments. Their act consists of pyramids, juggling, tumbling, gun-spinning, leaping and contortion and sword feats. Undoubtedly the great card of the Arabs is Abdallah Ben Hamad, "The Black Sampson," said to be the strongest man alive, who holds seven medium to large-sized men aloft at every performance. The engagement is for one week only. Then follows that stirring melo-dramatic production, "The Limited Mail."

COLUMBIA THEATRE.—"Surrender," Augustus Thomas' new play has proven a success at the Columbia Theatre and is universally conceded to be as strong a production as the enormously successful piece by the same author, "Alabama." The peculiarities of the play are such as to make its rendition exceedingly interesting. While "Surrender" is a war drama, in every sense of the word, yet it treats of the domestic side of the great strife between the North and South and the blood curdling battle scene is omitted completely from the action of the piece. Neither is there any firing of rifles or heavy guns, no screaming of flying shells, in fact, the usual adjunct supposed to be necessary to a war play are wanted. The play teems with original comedy, and the situations are unique and never failing of interest. Of course the play is splendidly mounted, scenic artist John A. Thompson having painted all the beautiful interior. The costuming also is exactly in keeping with the time, and the furniture and properties have all been selected to harmonize with the text thread and locations of the play. Stage Manager Presbrey is certainly to be congratulated upon the excellence of his work. "Surrender" will be given without date. At the conclusion of the run of "Surrender," Charles Frohman's Boston Stock Company will make their brief annual tour through New England.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—Miss Fannie Davenport, who begins a week's engagement at the Hollis Street theatre next Monday, has established herself in a place which few American artists ever achieve. Coupled with a remarkable restless, energetic, artistic sense, she has a thorough knowledge of the stage fostered in her from childhood up. To those two qualities may be ascribed her immense success. Not alone satisfied with making her own character as much in keeping with the highest art standard as possible, she directs every performer of her company, and by her encouragement, hints and persistence manages to infuse into everyone the same spirit that actuates herself. Nothing seems to go unobserved; the supernumeries have ten times the energy of acting required of them when inspired by the dominant artistic presence of the great actress who superintends every rehearsal. A splendid opportunity was offered last season to observe this Cominant sense in the artist; 100 white men, 50 white women, 25 colored women and 10 colored men form the figurants, supers, slaves, etc. These are chosen by the super-master, Mr. Rankin, who has had a vast experience in gathering and training the men and women who figure in spectacular productions, such as Miss Davenport's "Cleopatra" undoubtedly is. The first rehearsals of these men and women were conducted by Mr. Rankin himself. They went through their evolutions with exactness and routine, but it took Miss Davenport's own personality to infuse just that enthusiasm and abandon required to make the shouting crowds seem natural. The finish was given by Miss Davenport herself, who, at the last rehearsal was in every place at once; she recited her lines and gave the crowd the cues, and directed every shout herself; the consequence is that Miss Davenport's performance down to the very smallest detail is perfection itself, and just that ease and natural movement is the acme of art, for the effort is never apparent. Miss Davenport is supported by Mr. Melbourne MacDowell and a strong company of actors. It goes without saying that the production will be as superb as scenery and embellishments can make it. Some of the costumes are entirely new, and Miss Davenport as "Cleopatra" will wear some new and astonishing dresses. Mrs. Benard Beere, the distinguished English artiste follows Miss Davenport.

A Valuable Gift.

Probably no physician of our day has gained such a reputation for curing cases of lingering or long standing diseases through treatment by mail as the great specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., discoverer of the well-known Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. He uses in his practice only harmless vegetable remedies, and has given special attention to treatment of patients at a distance through letter correspondence. Consultation in this manner or personally, is entirely free of charge. Any sufferer from whatever kind of disease has the privilege of writing to him a description of his or her case, and he will return a carefully considered answer fully explaining your disease and giving you a perfect understanding of all its symptoms, free of charge.

His success is something wonderful in restoring the sick to health, and his practice is without doubt the largest in this country. Send for his symptom blank and write him, sufferer, for his advice in your case. This will cost you nothing, and may lead to your cure.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

HERE IS NEWS.

Just Now of the Utmost Importance.

And it is Something that All Will Appreciate.

Because it is an Honest and Outspoken Opinion.

"Rheumatism and neuralgia are perfectly curable," remarked one of our most eminent physicians, in conversation with the writer. "The only thing necessary is to use the right remedy and use it persistently."

"But what is the right remedy, doctor?"

"Well, although a physician in practice, I must say that the best all round medicine for rheumatism and neuralgia—that is the remedy which will effect the most cures—is the discovery of Dr. Greene, known and sold in every drug store as Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

"I have cured many cases with it," continued the doctor, "and call to mind several remarkable restorations which have come under my direct observation, notably that of Mr. William Guckemus, of 62 Stark street, Utica, N. Y. His was a terrible case. Why, he could hardly move in his bed, had terrible pains in his hip and back. His food would not digest but would bloat him up very much. He used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and is now a perfectly well man. Mr. Guckemus is a very well-known man in Utica, in fact, has been foreman in the turning shop for 24 years, and consequently everybody knows him and his wonderful cure.

"And there was that remarkable cure of Mr. Michael," added the doctor, "who resides in New York City, at 74 Laight street. He had rheumatism so bad that he could not walk, indeed, could not eat or sleep. Nothing seemed to relieve him until he procured Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and now he is a perfectly well man. He declares that this remedy saved his life and that it is the most wonderful medicine in the world.

"A talented lady of my acquaintance, also, Mrs. J. T. Cummings, of 1303 Lorain street, Cleveland, Ohio, told me that she suffered fearfully with pain in her right side for four months. She was extremely nervous in addition and could not sleep nights. She received no relief whatever until she used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and now through the curative effects of this medicine, the pain has left her entirely and she is well again.

"It certainly does cure rheumatism and neuralgia," wound up the doctor, "and I could go on indefinitely describing case after case among my patients where it has given almost instant relief and soon effected perfect cures. I pronounce it the great remedy for pains and aches and I prescribe and use it freely because I know it to be a purely vegetable and harmless medicine.

"No, we physicians do not class it among patent medicines because, as you must remember, it is the prescription of one of our best known and most successful doctors, the specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass. The doctor, in fact, endorses and recommends his valuable remedy in just such cases as those above stated and he can be consulted by anyone free of charge by calling at his office or writing."

Why Every One Should See the Exposition.

If among any readers there is any American who despairs or even doubts of our Republic as fertile soil for intellectual and spiritual progress, let him go to Chicago next summer and come back with a new heart in his bosom. And if there is any who thinks he could not be more full of hope and faith than he is to-day, let him also go for the sanctioning and exalting of his present confidence. Above all, it is the children who should be taken—that young generation upon which the future of the Republic rests, and the sons of which, if it develops as we have a right to expect, will, I firmly believe, head the world's advance in those intellectual paths where progress in art should run parallel with progress in general knowledge, in science, if literature, in the betterment of social conditions, and in morality. A lesson like the one in Chicago will teach, received in impressionable years, will be the best gift that any American parent can bestow upon a daughter or son. A trip to Chicago will be a pleasure-trip truly. But it will also be a voyage of discovery, opening routes which will lead the nation to the fountains of intellectual power, to those green meadows and pleasant waters which encompass lives open to the enlightening, sanctifying inspirations of beauty and the attractions of unselfish intellectual endeavor. And it will likewise be a journey fruitful in the influences which go to make good citizens, true patriots, wise and public-spirited Americans. As a pleasuring-place Jackson Park next summer will have attractions never before approached in our land; but as a place for self-instruction, self-cultivation, it will surpass any other spot in the world.

And yet this is the place which those self-styled Christians who do not believe Christ's distinct assertion that the Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath, desire to have closed on the one day of the week when our mind-hungry, beauty-starved, ignorant but eagerly ambitious masses could best make use of its civilizing and uplifting ministrations.—Mrs. Van Rensselaer, in the December Forum.

Art Notes.

At Doll & Richards gallery, 2 Park street, Boston, is an exhibition of Pastel drawings by T. Appleton Brown. The exhibit will continue through Dec. 8th and the twenty-eight subjects are well worth a visit to see.

—The railroad station at Kingston was broken into one night last week, the safe blown open and robbed of about $100. As this is the third time the same thing has been done within two years, the burglars must be getting quite familiar with that job.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. A. M. Bachelder's Drug store.

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While we have an efficient corps of regular contributors, there is much of interest that in the nature of things, they cannot get. Let your interest in your local paper and pride in your town lead you to aid in making the Gazette more bright and newsy

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1892.

Wintry weather.

The snow plows have had the dust rubbed off of them by early service.

The Borden mystery is absorbing public interest again.

10,000 women are registered to vote for school committee in Boston. This is an increase of 4,000 over last year.

The popular vote for president in this country at the recent election is figured out as follows: Cleveland, 6,750,000; Harrison, 6,500,000; Weaver, 850,000; Bidwell, 250,000. The official figures will change this slightly.

The Boston Herald looks at the license question from a worldly standpoint. It says that no-license would cost the taxpayers $900,000 next year. How much would the tax-payers be saved by the decrease in crime and the smaller police force necessary? The Herald should consider this side of the question and then rise a little from its dollars and cents view of it and think of the moral benefit it would be to the city, the suburban towns and the state if Boston were a no-license city.

Perhaps no man whose position or activity keeps him constantly before the public has written so little for periodicals as President Eliot, of Harvard University. In recent years it has been only about once a year that he has published anything, and what he has written has been written almost exclusively for the Forum. The infrequency with which he writes is atoned for by the value of what he has to say, for his article in the December Forum wherein he shows the defects of our present educational work is perhaps his most important utterance.

That the Chicago Exposition will be a great event everybody knows, but precisely in what respect it will be the most notable achievement of human industry and art has hardly been made clear in spite of all that has been published about it. Mrs. Van Rensselaer, the well-known writer on architecture, after a visit to the Exposition and after making a study of all its parts in conjunction with the architects and artists, gives what we think is the best explanation of its greatness and beauty that has appeared. How many people, for instance, really realize that this will be the finest sight that human eyes can see anywhere in the world?

The need of further advancement in our civil service laws is shown by the eager clamor for the offices in the Democratic party. That every postmaster and clerk must be supplanted by new men whose only recommendation is that they have been political hustlers is absurd. What successful business man would so conduct his affairs? The spoils system must go. There are no indications at present that the Democratic party has any respect for the civil service reform sentiment of the country. They may ignore that sentiment and defy it for a time but they would be wiser to remember that 1896 is coming and that four years is but a short lease of power.

General Draper, who is elected to fill the place in Congress now occupied by George Fred Williams, took a very gloomy view of the future in his remarks at the Norfolk club meeting last Saturday. He saw increased importation, decreased American production, less employment, lower wages, industries destroyed, and last but not least, the country flooded with worthless money.

Such talk and predictions would go a long way to produce those conditions by unsettling public confidence if the people believed them. Happily, however, for the welfare of the country such is not the case. The confidence in the resources of America and in the ability of Americans to hold their own in the world of competition is too firmly seated to be easily disturbed. We trust that General Draper will soon take a more cheerful view of the situation, when the vexation at the result of the national election shall have worn off.

A Solution of the Problem of Poverty.

The German system of poor-relief known as "the Elberfeld system" is accepted by many of our greatest economists as the most satisfactory system that has ever been devised. It is in operation in at least thirty-six German towns and cities, where its practical workings are described in the December number of the Forum by Prof. Francis G. Peabody, who made for the Forum a personal examination of it on the spot.

The leading facts about this interesting are that the superintendent of the poor-relief is a trained expert who is chosen for life, is paid for his services, and is eligible to the pension list. Under him are a group of men that are elected to aid him, and these are among the foremost men in each town, such as bank presidents, lawyers, preachers, and presidents of universities, successful merchants—in general, the most important and influential citizens. Under the direction of this body a large number of visitors of the poor are selected to serve without payment; and among these also are many of the best citizens of the town. Then the town or city is divided into small sections, a block or two being a section, and in each section there is a man whose duty it is to know personally the condition of every poor resident and in case of want to make a personal investigation. This personal investigation is reported to the committee of which he is a member, and this committee proyides immediate relief in case of dire need; and then the case is reported in all its details to a still larger committee, and whatever is deemed advisable is done in each case—sometimes the man is given work, sometimes he is sent to an institution; but in every case whatever is thought to be the best treatment is administered. Professor Peabody sums up the result of this system by saying that in Dresden, with 200,000 inhabitants, the superintendence is so thorough that a case of critical want is unknown and unrelief is impossible, and that beggary has become a crime, which is practised only by stealth. Paupers half-clad in rags suffering in the winter weather are not to be seen in the city at all. It is sure, too, that every case of acute want is relieved.

Is this system applicable to our American conditions?

Special Mention.

—Mrs. M. C. Nash opens her annual sale of Christmas goods at her residence, Front street, Weymouth, Saturday, Dec. 3rd, day and evening. All sorts of celluloid work and art novelties, hand painted. See ad. in this paper. Sale continues till Christmas.

The Peoples Institute and Gymnasium.

There was an important meeting of the managers and committees of the Peoples Institute and Gymnasium at the residence of Rev. B. F. Eaton, Monday evening, Nov. 28. At this meeting it was decided to open the rooms of the Institute and Gymnasium on Monday, Dec. 5th, and the committee on rooms was authorized to see that all the rooms were cleaned and made ready for the opening. Mrs. S. W. Gutterson was elected chairman of that committee. It was also decided to employ a superintendent of the Institute and Gymnasium and a male teacher for the boys' and men's classes, and a lady teacher for the ladies' classes in gymnasium work. Mr. Emerson Hunt of Weymouth Heights, was elected superintendent, Mr. Chas. Hird of Boston, teacher of the boys and men's classes in the gymnasium, and Mrs. Lucy C. Connell of Cambridge, teacher of the ladies' classes. These persons are all well qualified for their several positions, having had experience in the line of work to which they are elected. Mrs. Connell is one of the instructors under Dr. Sargent at the Hemenway Gymnasium of Harvard University, and she also has classes in Cambridge and elsewhere. If there are any ladies or gentlemen who wish to learn fencing, an opportunity will be given them to do so, as both Mrs. Connell and Mr. Hird are skilful fencers and fully able to teach the art. Two afternoons each week for the ladies and two evenings for the men and boys will be given to gymnasium work, and the days selected are Monday and Thursday afternoons for ladies, and Monday and Wednesday evenings for the men and boys. All ladies interested in gymnasium work, or who intend joining the class are invited to meet Mrs. Connell at the gymnasium on Monday afternoon, Dec. 5, at 4 o'clock, and all the boys and men are asked to meet Mr. Hird at the same place on Monday, Dec. 5, at 7.30 p. m.

The Institute and Gymnasium will be opened for work on Monday, Dec. 5, but the formal opening will take place in the vestry of the Union church on Monday evening, Dec. 12, when there will be entertainment with special attraction and speaking. A committee consisting of Rev. B. F. Eaton, Rev. Oliver Huckel and Mrs. R. L. Hunt was appointed to arrange for the celebration at this opening.

The name of Mr. Russell the new principal of the High school was added to the committee on Physical Culture, and he was elected chairman of that committee.

Evening classes in connection with the Institute will be offered this season as formerly. It is proposed to form classes in elocution, mechanical drawing, English history and English literature. If possible there will be two classes in elocution; an elementary one, and a class for advance work in the art. All who wish to join any of the classes mentioned above, are requested to send their names immediately to Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Weymouth, Mass. If 12 pupils can be obtained for any class a competent teacher will be engaged for the work. The only requisite for admission to these classes is that the applicant should be a member of the Institute or Gymnasium, or the payment of one dollar, which is the price of membership in the Institute.

Installation.

The officers of Orphan's Hope lodge, of East Weymouth, for the ensuing year, were installed Wednesday night under the most favorable and pleasing circumstances, barring the inclemency of the weather.

The installation was public and about seventy-five ladies graced the occasion with their presence.

Wor. Bro. Gifford H. G. McGrew, grand lecturer, was the installing officer and he was most ably assisted by Wor. Bro. F. A. Bicknell, acting grand marshal.

The installing work was of the highest order and has seldom, if ever, been done in Orphan's Hope lodge in so beautiful and impressive a manner. At the conclusion of the installation Wor. Bro. McGrew presented to Wor. Bro. Herbert A. Newton, the installed master, in behalf of the lodge, a master's apron of the finest artistic work.

Wor. Bro. Z. L. Bicknell was next called upon to make a few remarks and they were addressed to the retiring master, Wor. Bro. Joseph Ellis Gardner; and in the course of the remarks, Mr. Gardner became the happy possessor of a very elaborate past master's jewel.

The worshipful master next announced that the remaining services of the evening would be held in the banquet room below.

A procession was formed and the company proceeded to the banquet room where salads, oysters, ices, sherbets, cakes, confectionery and coffee were in abundance and in charge of a corps of waiters from the establishment of Harvey Blunt, who was caterer for the evening.

The banquet was followed by a social dance in which some fifty couples joined, Tirrell's orchestra furnishing music for the occasion.

South Shore Co-operative Bank.

Extracts from the Annual Report of the South Shore Co-operative Bank to the Savings Bank Commissioners Oct. 31, 1892:

BALANCE SHEET.

Loans on real estate.....	$19,800.00	Dues capital..	$20 000 00
Loans on shares.....	750.00	Profits capital	1,316.00
Sundry accts.	125.92	Sundry accts	3.60
Cash.....	828.68	Surplus.....	44.19
		Gain and undivided profits.....	17 90
	$21,532 90		$21,532 90

	Oct. 31, 1892.		Oct. 31, 1891.
Assets.....	$21,532.90		$10,663.68
Amount of Loans..	20,550.00		9,300 00
Borrowers.....	19		7
Shares in force.....	1,010		666
Shares issued.....	431		247
Shares withdrawn..	127		13
Share holders.....	194		135
Profits credited.....	6½ per ct.	1st term 5 per ct. 2d term 6½ per ct.	

Third of the Institute Course.

Last Friday evening Union church was again crowded with Weymouth and East Braintree people the occasion being the third entertainment of the Institute course.

Mr. Edward P. Elliott was introduced by Rev. Mr. Eaton and the evening's programme, called a "Monologue Recital" consisting of genis from Shakspeare, James Whitcomb Riley and others was given.

The New York English Ballad Company is the next in the course and will be one of the very best. All should hear them. December 16, is the date.

Chatterer's Musings.

YE BALLAD OF YE HENRY THOMAS.

I sing in but a doleful strain
Though once in *debonair*;
My heart is filled with honest pain,
Republican despair.
I sadly sigh and tear my hair,
From Boston's great P. O.
The Democratic hosts declare
Our Thomas soon must go.

"Too much a party man," maintain
The men who wish to share
The spoils of democratic gain.
"Too smart" some others swear.
Some have no reason, whatsoe'er
For their complaints to show,
But still they claim with sullen air,
Our Thomas soon must go.

In vain are all my words; in vain
My logic used with care.
As unapproached they still remain
As castles in the air.
Forsooth I think I must prepare
To eat a dish of "crow,"
And side with them in this affair,
Our Thomas soon must go.

ENVOI.

Nay fellow-townsmen, do not stare,
You surely ought to know,
To Representative Hall is where
Our Thomas soon must go.

THE CHATTERER.

The Oldest Government Employe.

Rev. Dr. Scott, father-in-law of President Harrison died at the White House at 4.10, Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 29. His illness had been short. He accompanied Mrs. Harrison's remains to Indianapolis and bore the trip well. On Nov. 18 he caught a cold and was placed in the doctor's care and has gradually failed until the time of his death. He was 92 years old the 22d of January last.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Golden Wedding—Mr. and Mrs. Bela French.

Another of those events which seem to be becoming frequent, but which after all, come to but few, occurred last Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bela French on Commercial street, East Weymouth. Fifty years ago, the 27th of November, Bela, son of Stephen and Sally French, took to the altar, Lucy E., daughter of Jacob and Chloe Lovell. In these fifty years, there have been many changes and we have almost lost from our vocabulary the good old names the fathers and mothers bore, but this couple have survived, and hosts of friends came Monday night to congratulate them on the golden anniversary of their wedding day.

The gathering was a spontaneous one, and was a true test of the esteem in which this couple are held by a large circle of friends in the community where they have passed more than the three-score and ten years allotted to man.

Many substantial tokens of regard were left by the callers, among them being a willow rocker from Mrs. French's class in the M. E. Sunday school and a fine spring rocker from the trustees of the M. E. church of which both Mr. and Mrs. French have been members from its infancy. The following pathetic tribute was received from a friend in New Jersey:

"A TOAST."

1842. 1892.

Then Youth and Beauty troth to plight
Pledged hopes and banished fears:
Now Age and Wisdom re-unite
The bond of fifty years.

With woman's weakness, manly might,
With laughter and with tears,
The golden links were polished bright,
The chain of fifty years!

Through life his courage in the fight
Her patience sweet reveres;
She leans upon her gallant knight,
Her own for fifty years.

The glorious evening sunset light
As beautiful appears
As morning beams on mountain height,
And gilds their fifty years.

Now let us all join hands tonight,
Fair ones and cavaliers,
And hail this golden marriage rite!
God bless them fifty years!

Newark, Nov. 27, 1891. EDGAR BUFFUM.

Local Talent in Quincy.

The following extract from a report in the Quincy Patriot of last week explains itself:

"Seldom is there seen in Hancock hall so large an audience as assembled there on Wednesday and Thursday evenings when 'Rob Roy' or 'Auld Lang Syne' was presented. Every seat was taken, and many were obliged to stand, but this did not prevent frequent applause. The cast as a whole was a strong one, particularly Miss Agnes Hyde as Helen McGregor. Miss Hyde had evidently given her part careful study for her execution was faultless, her voice is strong, her gestures graceful, being free from the affectation so common on the stage."

The part of Helen McGregor is a very difficult one, and was a favorite with some of the great tragic actresses of the past and present. Some competent judges in the audience who had seen the character taken by famous actresses both in England and America were very enthusiastic in their praise and admiration of Miss Hyde's rendering.

Electric Road.

The Selectmen gave a hearing on Monday to the petition of the Quincy and Boston Street Railway Co. for an extension of its franchise from the foot of King Oak hill to Shaw's corner. The company was represented by Mr. Graham, its president, and Mr. Hodges. There were no remonstrants to the petition and the company is prepared to go on with the extension as soon as the other part of the road now under construction is completed. It is fair to suppose that the franchise will be granted and the road extended as above.

Mr. N. D. Canterbury, representing the committee appointed at a recent meeting of the citizens of East Weymouth presented the action of that meeting, asking for a further extension of the road to Jackson square and the rail road station in East Weymouth, and received assurance that the management of the road would favorably consider the matter and that the further extension would be a fact of the near future.

LYCEUM COURSE.
Lecture by John DeWitt Miller.

The third entertainment in the South Weymouth Lyceum Course was given in Fogg's Opera house last Tuesday evening. It had rained all day and as night came on instead of decreasing the storm increased which threatened to put a stop to the lecture. But those who braved the storm were more than paid for their effort. The lecture was given by John DeWitt Miller. Subject, "The Uses of Ugliness." Mr. Miller illustrated his talk by many incidents and anecdotes which kept his audience in a continuous state of laughter. His lecture was considered as one of the most interesting ever given here.

PARK THEATRE.—Charles H. Hoyt's latest success "A Temperance Town," will receive its initial production in Boston at the Park Theatre, on Monday evening, Dec. 5. Anything new from the pen of Mr. Hoyt is always looked forward to with interest by the theatre-going public, for of all plays that are being produced in this country today, Mr. Hoyt's are the most thoroughly American.

"A Temperance Town" like "A Texas steer" and the rest of Mr. Hoyt's plays, is a satire. It is said to differ from them in that, while some of its predecessors may have been overdrawn, his latest work is quieter in its tone. It is not a farce comedy, but the much abused term comedy-drama fits it excellently.

It has more comedy than anything else, with here and there a touch of farce. It tells a story that is rationable, and presents a side of the prohibition movement that has never before, as far as known, been put upon the stage.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects. The management of the paper distinctly disclaim any responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

Letter from a Republican.

MR. EDITOR:

In last week's Gazette appeared the following:

"Judging from the appearance of our villages during the recent celebrations, we are all democrats now. Everybody lighted up and a dark house was a rarity."

It is not wise on this occasion to judge from appearances; because our generous and patriotic citizens lighted up their residences and places of business, on the eve of the democratic rejoicing, it by no means indicates a change of political principles. It was only a *light* expression of *republican courtesy* to our democratic friends. We are still strong in the grand republican principles of protection to our laboring classes, by encouraging an extension of our manufacturing and commercial interests, which would furnish them plenty of work and high wages, and one defeat does not bring dismay or discouragement.

REPUBLICAN.

Weymouth Nov. 29, 1892.

The Republican Party.

"The Republican party never had a more important function to fulfil than it has today." The above words of Hon. F. T. Greenhalge in a recent speech are particularly pat to the Republicans of Weymouth, who will shortly meet to reorganize ward and town committees. The party has a mission in Weymouth, as well as in the state and nation, and it remains to be seen whether the majority of the people who believe in its principles will meet the emergency and put the party where it belongs, or indifferently let it dwindle and decay.

YOUNG REPUBLICAN.

A Surprise.

The members of the First Universalist Sunday-school and society gave a surprise to Mr. Joseph W. Armington, at his residence on Washington street, last evening. For twenty years Mr. Armington was superintendent of the Sunday-school, besides serving as a teacher and leader of teachers' meetings during a portion of the same period.

On his resigning the position of superintendent, the members and friends of the school felt that some suitable recognition of his long, faithful and efficient services should be made.

With this end in view, committees of arrangements were appointed who quietly did their work, without awakening the least suspicion on the part of the gentleman chiefly interested. Thursday evening, Dec. 1, was selected for the surprise. The members of the Sunday-school and society gathered at the residence of Mr. Frank Worster as a place of rendezvous and descended in force upon the Armington residence. Mrs. Armington was in the secret and was prepared, but Mr. Armington was taken unawares. It was a genuine "surprise." A little time was spent in social intercourse, when Rev. Mr Eaton called the company to order and stated the purpose of the gathering.

He referred to the long and faithful services of Mr. Armington and said that those services had always been appreciated, and the friends of the Sunday-school and society now wished to give some substantial evidence of their appreciation of Mr. Armington's personal worth and faithful services. He then presented him with an elegant piano lamp and an envelope containing a golden token. Master John Hunt in behalf of Mr. Armington's Sunday-school class presented him with a fine silk umbrella. Mr. Armington returned thanks as best he could considering his surprise.

Piano music by Misses Alice Carpenter, and Renie Poe, and solos by Misses Emma L. Clapp and Minnie L. Eaton followed. A bountiful collation was served and at ten o'clock the happy company dispersed.

Foot Ball.

On Thanksgiving Day for the second time in their history the elevens of the North and South High schools contended in a game of foot ball for the championship of Weymouth. The game was played on the old ball field at South Weymouth. Last year the North High eleven was victorious by a score of 32 to 0.

But as the North and South High elevens lined up against each other at 9.30 a. m., in obedience to the call of the referee it was evident that the North High must fight hard for victory. The North High won the toss and chose the ball. By quick and skilful playing with the use of the criss-cross and the revolution wedge the North High within fifteen minutes made three touch-downs and kicked a goal, making a score of 14. After this strange to say they did not score at all. On the contrary the South High, greatly superior in the centre of their rush-line, by "bucking the centre" steadily pushed the ball down the field and by a trick carried it over the line for a touch-down. In the remaining few minutes of the first half neither side scored, and when time was called the North High were ahead by a score of 14 to 6.

In the second half again the South played their old tactics of "bucking" the centre and pushed the ball down the field for a touch-down, kicking the goal. The score stood 14 to 12. The policy of the North High was now to delay the play of the South High and if possible to keep its eleven from scoring. This they succeeded in doing and when the game was called the North High were hailed as victors by a score of 14 to 12.

A Co-operative Course for East Weymouth.

In the course of a few days the J. T. of H. will be out with an attractive poster announcing a course of popular entertainments in Odd Fellow's Opera House, which will compare favorably with the courses in the other villages of the town, although somewhat less expensive. Following is a list of dates and an outline of the entertainments:

Dec. 21, the Clark Comedy Company, introducing Dr. G. Rob Clark and Mrs. Mona E. Clark in their new musical comedy "Extra Extra Capriccio." Mr. Van Veachton Rogers, harpist; and Banks Davidson, solo pianist and accompanist.

Dec. 28, Rev. J. J. Lewis in his illustrated lecture on "Switzerland."

Jan. 11, the Lyceum Ladies' Orchestra Club, with Charles T. Grilley, humorist.

Jan. 25, the Arena Concert Company with Miss Lillian Carlismith, contralto.

Feb. 8, the Apollo Male Quartette, with Miss Julia King, reader.

Co-operative, as used in connection with this course means that the people are invited to join with the J. T.'s in making the course the success which the able talent engaged merits.

Reserved seats from C to G, centre block, for the course $1.50, balance of centre $1.00, single admission 50 cents.

No Trains to Hull.

A few weeks ago the town of Hull appropriated $1115 for the transportation of its High school children to Hull and instructed the school committee to contract with the Old Colony Railroad to convey them by train.

But the school committee, notwithstanding their explicit instructions, contracted with Chief of Police John L. Mitchell for the conveyance of the children between Hull and Hingham in barges.

Then the trouble began. Charges began to float through the atmosphere of underhanded practices, and public feeling ran high and personalities between families were indulged in to quite an extent.

A special meeting was called for Monday afternoon.

A motion being made that the town carry out the contract with the Old Colony, it was defeated by a vote of 61 to 55.

It was then voted to indefinitely postpone action on the matter.

This action results in the discontinuance of trains to Hull for the winter, and the citizens will have to ride from 8 to 10 miles to get a train to Boston or stay at home, and many who were congratulating themselves that they would have easy travelling this winter are sadly disappointed.—Quincy Ledger.

District Court.

Hon. James Humphrey, Justice.

John F. Kelley of East Weymouth was fined $12 for disturbing the peace. He was committed. Alphonso Grande, the Italian who shot his compatriot, Emelo Vendre, in the leg at East Weymouth, last Saturday night, was arraigned and the case continued till next Thursday for trial. Grande was released on bail.

The liquors seized from Henry F. Lovell were forfeited.

Daniel W. Crowley of South Weymouth was tried for the burning of the stables at the Fair Grounds and discharged.

Charles M. Raymond of South Weymouth, for the non-support of his family was sent to jail for 30 days.

The liquors seized from the Wayside House were forfeited.

Patrick Lonergan of East Weymouth was fined $81 for violating the liquor law.

John Ronan of East Weymouth was fined $50 for violating the liquor law. He was committed in default of payment.

The liquors seized from John Green of East Weymouth were forfeited.

William Carroll of East Weymouth, was fined $60 for violating the liquor law.

Medical Men Dine.

The regular monthly meeting of the Norfolk South District Medical association was held at the United States Hotel, Boston, Thursday. President C. C. Tower of South Weymouth was in the chair. An interesting paper on pneumonia was read by Dr. Drake of North Weymouth. Dinner followed the business.

Notes and Comment.

The Advertiser's recount from 117 Massachusetts cities and towns, Boston included (about half the vote of the state), makes out only 1,306 ballots upon which two candidates for governor were checked. These reports were obtained from Republican chairmen in different cities and towns, and the Advertiser infers from them that "it seems probable that Governor Russell might have had a narrow margin even over the errors of the blunderers." This is a great slump from the original claim of nineteen and twenty thousand votes in which two candidates for governor were said to have been marked. The above figures, it must be borne in mind, are only estimates. There has not been a single official fact for the foundation of all the bullabaloo that has been worked up over alleged "Haile-Hamlin" ballots. It is one of the most discreditible episodes in the minor annals of party politics in this state, and ought to mark its promoters as so many more of the blundering leaders who must be retired into private life for the party's good.—Boston Transcript (Republican.)

It has been assumed all along that the railroads would make very low rates to and from Chicago during the world's fair. In fact, a round trip ticket for fare one way has been the common expectation. The announcement, therefore, of a 20 per cent. reduction and this only on slow trains, causes a hostile feeling in all parts of the country. But isn't this resentment unreasonable? The railroad companies have been chartered by the vote of the people to make money and not to boom philanthropy or patriotism. The remedy lies with the plain people, who can, if they will, take the railroads and run them for the equal benefit of all. The Boston Herald is not far off when it says: "The railroad companies may make as much money with less effort and trouble on their part; but it will be at the expense of the general interests of the American people, and will add, as so many recent railroad blunders have added, to the demand for railroad ownership and management by the states or national government."—New Nation.

Literary Notes.

—Encouraged by the unprecedented success attending the introduction of illustrations in the department of Newest Books, the editors of Current Literature have decided to devote about fifty pages of the Christmas number to the discussion of Books of the Season. One hundred and fifty volumes, fresh from the press are classified and reviewed with descriptive and critical comment boiled down to the fewest words, extended readings from the most notable volumes of the month are presented, while nearly four dozen selected illustrations are reproduced by the latest processes. This new departure, which will give the Current Literature the foremost place as an authoritative literary exponent, has not been attempted at the expense of the other well-known departments. Special attention has been given to The World's Fair, Fads and Fancies, and the Sketch Book, while in each of the old-time favorites will be gathered the choicest products of the monthlies, weeklies and dailies, sifted and arranged for the benefit of the Person Who Has Not Got Time to Wade Through Everything in order to keep up to date. The literary prize department is blooming. Current Literature is as necessary in a well-regulated household as a door-bell or a dumb-waiter. Buy it! Read it! Keep it on file!

The Easton Bulletin appeared last week in a new form as a six column quarto. Dr. Tilden, the editor, and Mr. Russell, the proprietor, have our congratulations upon the improvement.

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NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other Persons interested in the estate of

JOHANNA HEALEY,

late of Weymouth, in said county deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Edward F. Paine of Weymouth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County, on the third Wednesday of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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WANTS, FOR SALE, TO LET, etc.

(Four lines or less under this head, only 25 cents each insertion; each extra line 10c. Count eight words to a line.)

FOR SALE. Piano; second-hand; rosewood case, good condition. Will be sold cheap for cash or on easy terms of payment. Apply to Miss S. M. Blanchard, music teacher, Commercial street, Weymouth. 25 tf

FOR SALE. House lot on Broad street between Spring and Essex. Apply to D. E. Whelan, Broad street, Weymouth Centre. 34 37

FOR SALE. In East Weymouth, Mass., a one and one-half story modern house of 6 large finished rooms, very convenient, recently built on Chard street; about 4300 feet of land; rare chance; good reasons for selling. G. H. Cunningham, Weymouth Centre, Mass. 33 tf

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TO LET. House on Field's avenue, containing seven rooms, dry cellar, and with pond water. For further particulars inquire of Granville E. Field, Weymouth. 32 tf

TO LET. To a small family, tenement of six rooms and bath; modern improvements. Apply to S. W. Pratt, Washington square, Weymouth. 23 tf

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph F. Taylor, as guardian of Lucy Makepeace and John Makepeace, minors and children of Sanford and Lucy A. Makepeace, and Lucy A. Makepeace, Thomas V. Birnes and Mary Barnes to Albedal Thurston and Ernest Thurston, dated February 12, 1884, and recorded with the Registry of Deeds for Norfolk County, book 554, page 247, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises, on THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon standing situate in Weymouth in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, described as follows:

Beginning at Pleasant street at land now or late of Andrew Hanley, running northwesterly about 91 feet to a stake; thence westerly about 241 feet to land now or late of John Fraher; thence southerly by land now or late of said Fraher about 95 feet; thence easterly by land now or late of Andrew Hanley about 272 feet to the point begun at, or however otherwise bounded, containing one acre more or less, and being the premises conveyed to Ann Dwyer by Albert Humphrey, by deed dated April 30, 1866, recorded with Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 342, folio 199.

Terms at sale.

FRANK M. SPARROW, Assignee of said Mortgage.

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NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of

BETSEY TIRRELL,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, Jay B. Crawford, the administrator, de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Dedham, in said county on the third Wednesday of December next at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said accountant is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of

THOMAS SMITH,

late of Cohasset, in said county, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, George W. White, the administrator, de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the

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North Weymouth Gleanings.

—The regular meeting of the Century club is postponed from this evening to next Friday evening, Dec. 9. The subject for discussion will be, "Resolved, That the best interests of Weymouth require a city government." Josiah H. Pratt has the affirmative and James Humphrey the negative.

—Daniel Crain has had quite an addition built on the rear of his house.

—The Italians working upon the electric road had some kind of a misunderstanding with their bosses one day last week and quit work, but the matter was soon adjusted and most of the men came back in a few days. A man who witnessed the whole affair says that the trouble began by two of the laborers throwing stones at each other. When the boss discharged one of the offenders the entire crew left. Before doing so they all became engaged in a fracas, the reason for which was intelligible only to themselves. There was a lively time in that locality for a while, although it was of short duration.

—The chief theme for speculation just now is, "Who will be our next postmaster?" It is commonly believed that there are several candidates for the office in the field, and it is also understood that one or two have already filed their application.

—An illumination that was unintentionally omitted in last week's account of the democratic celebration was that of Mr. Lemuel Torrey. It deserved special mention as being among the best.

—Deacon Henry French passed the week with friends at South Weymouth.

—A child of Ozro Estes is sick with the scarlet fever.

—D. W. Torrey has gone to work in the sole leather room at Torrey's factory.

—Mrs. Chas. Stevens has returned from a visit to Marshfield.

—Torrey, Bullivant & Co.'s cutters, after a little vacation, struck in work this week "for good."

—The child of Frank Whiting that was recently said to be ill with diphtheria is up and about the house.

—L. B. Curtis is having alterations made on his residence both inside and out. James Nelson of Hingham has the job.

—E. G. McGill has moved into Mrs. Matilda Battles' house.

—Mr. and Mrs. Job Wade of New Bedford are visiting at C. H. Newton's.

—Mrs. W. A. Drake is at Norway, Me.

—Herbert Litchfield has a new stable nearly completed.

—L. B. Curtis is away at New York on a short business trip.

—Fred W. French, one of North Weymouth's bright young men who has gone out and pushed ahead in the world, celebrated his crystal wedding Monday evening, Nov. 28th at his beautiful and lately-built residence in Malden. A party of relatives from this place was present to extend their congratulations, besides guests from Providence and Fall River.

—Joshua Shaw, the expressman, has Charles Litchfield and Wilton Burrell on his force of employes.

—Wednesday of this week was taken by the teachers of the Athens school as a day to visit other schools, and consequently the building was closed for the time.

—The lecture announced for Tuesday evening in the Universalist church was given in spite of the stormy weather, and was pronounced to have been a very fine one.

—Dunlap is the family name of some new-comers who have moved into the double house on Pearl street, owned by E. S. Beals.

—There was a very pleasant social gathering at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seabury, Tuesday evening, the occasion being the tenth anniversary of their marriage. The hosts were the recipients of numerous presents, among which was an elegant easy chair from a number of their friends. The party, numbering about twenty, was composed with one exception, of North Weymouth people.

—The snow, during the storm this week drifted so badly near the residence of Jeremiah Bates, that it was necessary to shovel out the road there for some distance toward Hingham bridge.

—The Ladies' Cemetery circle will meet Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, with Mrs. Quincy Burrell.

—W. A. Pratt and family were suddenly aroused from their slumber in the middle of the night last Tuesday. A terrific crash, overhead had brought them to their senses, and they anxiously waited for more to follow. The cold Northeast wind was howling outside; an odor of gas began to fill the room. The head of the house had instantly made up his mind as to the cause of the disturbance. With sundry newspaper stories concerning the strange comet fresh in his memory, he could come to no other conclusion than that the heavenly wanderer had favored him with a call, one that might perhaps be termed not inappropriately a *close* call. Thinking that the remainder of our little village had in all probability been blotted out of existence by the collision, the family had every reason to be thankful for their own escape from harm. After such awe-thrilling feelings, the disclosures of a detailed investigation were almost a disappointment. The terrific gale had blown the chimney over upon the roof, put out a fire in the stove, and forced the gas into the room.

Weymouth Heights.

—The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. Lizzie Newcomb, Union avenue, next Wednesday afternoon.

—Last Tuesday evening a very pleasant young ladies' social tea was given by Miss Abbie Bates.

—Rev Mr. Norton of Quincy exchanged with Rev. Mr. Kendall last Sabbath and gave an able discourse.

—Mrs. Edmund Humphrey of this place has gone to Jersey City to spend the winter with her son-in-law, Mr. William Humphrey.

—Those who wish to hear a first class gospel lecture should not fail to be present at the Old North church next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Fortunately Mr. Thomas Rush of Boston has been secured for this address and will take for his subject "A Church Without a Bible." No admission will be charged but a collection will be taken.

—Last Monday night Mr. Rufus Bates left for the West on an extended business trip for M. C. Dizer & Co.

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GEO. M. HOYT, East Weymouth.

South Weymouth Items.

—Rev. Chas. T. Hawes of Bangor, Me., occupied the pulpit of the Union church last Sunday.

—There will be an adjourned meeting of the Union society in the vestry of their church this evening to hear the report of the committee on the union of the two Congregational churches.

—Misses Louise and Gertrude Bates spent last Sunday with relatives in Plymouth.

—Wildey lodge has accepted an invitation from Massasoit lodge, of Brockton, to visit them some Thursday evening in December. Wildey lodge will go to Brockton next Thursday evening, Dec. 8, and witness the working of the first degree.

—The Sunset party given by the Hawthorn club was one of the best attended of any ever given. It is hoped that there will be more of these parties in the near future.

—Carpenters Churchill and Wade have been at work at the Bates school for the past few days, putting in a new platform and steps.

—Last Sunday evening was observed as "Tennyson Night" by the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church. This meeting was held in the audience-room instead of the vestry as usual. A short history of the life of the late poet was read, and also many of his poems by different members of the union. Miss Cady presided at the organ and Mrs. G. B. Bailey rendered a very pleasing solo. The evening was a very pleasant one for all who were present.

—Ozro Ford of North Abington has moved into the house on Randolph street, owned by Alfred Thomas.

—The tickets for the Norfolk Cycle Club Minstrel entertainment were put on sale last Monday night at about 7 o'clock. People were in waiting nearly the whole afternoon. The first person was on the scene at about 3 o'clock. Over 200 tickets were disposed of. That is a very good starter, and if this rate is kept up, the Opera House will be filled to overflowing, as it should be. The members of the Club are all well known and they should be patronized by the public. Every effort is being put forward to make this entertainment surpass the one of last winter.

—Next Thursday evening, Dec. 8th, the members of Wildey lodge are invited to be present with Massasoit lodge of Brockton, to witness the working of the first degree. Train leaves this station at about 6.35

—The Lincoln club has challenged the Hawthorn club to play a game of foot-ball Christmas day.

—Mr. Corlieu of Boston, will have charge of the meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening.

—Geo. B. Rogers, principal of the Bates Grammar school, took a pleasure trip to Pennsylvania during the short vacation of last week. Leaving here he went to New York, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Carlisle, Hagertown and Morristown, taking Thanksgiving dinner in Carlisle. Mr. Rogers was gone three days, stopping at each of the above places, making over 1000 miles.

—J. D. Moore, of Canada, an uncle of A. F. Bullock, has been making a short visit here. He left for Georgia Monday, Nov. 21. Mrs. A. F. Bullock accompanied him as far as Washington, making a short stop and returning home Thursday, having a very pleasant trip as well as enjoying a few of the sights which the capital city affords.

—The oyster supper which was had at Wildey lodge was not as well attended as was expected, but those who were there had a good time.

Nash's Corner.

—Last Sunday Mr. William Nash celebrated his 50th birthday at his home. Quite a number of relatives and friends were present.

—One of Mr. Joseph Cumming's horses is quite sick at present.

—A few days ago Mr. James Moore was almost buried alive at the gravel yards where he has been working.

—Thursday while driving along Main street, Mr. Frank Pray met with quite an accident. While turning out for another team in front of the residence of Mr. William Hersey, the carriage broke down and Mr. Pray was helped to the ground rather lively.

—Saturday afternoon the Shaw Grammar school foot ball team played the Bates school team of South Weymouth. This very exciting contest resulted in a tie, one touchdown being made on each side.

—The workmen at Nash's Corner would not object to having the snowplow go through the streets before they go to their morning work, when the next storm comes. The earlier it was done the less snow there would be to remove.

East Braintree.

—Mr. N. F. T. Hunt and family, who have been living on Liberty Heights for a few months, have moved into their new house at Braintree.

—Mrs. Elvira C., wife of Mr. C. C. Webster, passed away this morning after a long illness, at the age of 53 years. The funeral, which will be private, will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday, after which the remains will be taken to Fryeburg, Me.

Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIED.

In South Weymouth, November 24, by Rev. J. Baker, Mr. Frank J. Burke to Miss Georgina Glencross, both of Brockton.

In South Weymouth, November 24, by Rev. J. Baker, Mr. Martin L. Kendall to Mrs. Deborah R. Whitman, both of Weymouth.

DIED.

In East Braintree, December 2, Elvira C., wife of C. C. Webster, aged 53 years, 1 month, 12 days.

In Weymouth, November 27, Henry R. Hosley, aged 40 years.

In South Weymouth, November 23, Chester D. Pratt, aged 7a years, 6 months, 14 days.

Twenty Dollars for Six Copies of This Paper.

Twenty dollars is what the information contained in the series of six articles on "Home Dressmaking," to appear in these columns, would cost in any dressmaking school. You can save the amount by reading the articles carefully. Complete diagrams. Don't miss one of these lessons. In this paper only.

East Weymouth Briefs.

—We have heard of several families where four generations sat down together for a Thanksgiving dinner, but at N. D. Canterbury's there was the rare occurence of five generations being gathered at the same table. The oldest was his grandmother on his mother's side, Mrs. Betsy Bates, who to-morrow will have rounded out ninety-eight years of life and will start on the ninety-ninth year. The youngest member of the group was the little daughter of C. D. Canterbury, who has just entered upon her second year.

—Miss M. E. Castner finds her time so much occupied with the two millinery stores she and her sister are carrying on at South Boston, that she has disposed of the East Weymouth store to Mrs. Thornton Lewis. While the business has passed into good hands and will be continued as a first class establishment, Miss Castner will be missed by her many friends and patrons.

—At the regular meeting of the Columbian Club Monday night, a very interesting paper was read by John A. Raymond, entitled "Reminiscences from Town Records." The subject for debate was "Resolved, That it would be a good plan to elect the President of the United States for a term of six years and that he be ineligible for re-election." W. H. Pratt affirmative, George A. Miles negative.

—Water street was the scene of some lively shooting Sunday night and two Italians are now thanking their lucky stars that while they were both hit with flying bullets neither of them was seriously hurt. As the story goes Ameto and Michael Vendre, brothers, were on the street when one of them indulged in a cough or sneeze; near by was a party in which was Alfonso Grande, who took exceptions to the sneeze, and began calling the Vendre brothers bad names; from words the party came to blows, and from blows Grant proceeded to shoot at the two brothers, Ameto having a ball pass through his leg and Michael receiving a slight flesh wound in the side. In the excitement that followed the shooting Grande made his escape and is supposed to be in Boston. Dr. Frazer cared for the wounded leg and the patient is doing well.

—Under the auspices of James L. Bates Camp 36, S. of V., Mr. George W. Penniman who recently gave his interesting lecture, "Our Boys in Blue," in Odd-fellows Opera House, will give another lecture equally as interesting. "The Heart of the Rockies," on Tuesday evening, the 13th. This lecture, like the previous one, is illustrated and cannot fail to please.

—Mrs. Arabella Dunn, whom the concert-goers of Weymouth and vicinity of forty years ago will remember as the singer, Bella Dean, but who since that time has made her home in St. Paul and vicinity, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bela French.

—A very pleasant wedding took place at the residence of Rev. Daniel Evans, Wednesday evening. The contracting parties to the marriage were Mr. Bertram W. Cushing and Miss Eliza J. Levangia. The marriage was following by a wedding reception at the Weymouth House, which place will be the future home of the newly wedded pair.

—The village is to be congratulated on the enterprise of the Junior Templars of Honor. They are in the field with five as good entertainments as one could well wish to have. See article elsewhere.

—A look at the goods being unpacked at E. G. Bates' is a reminder that the holidays are upon us.

—Boston papers say that the Germania band and the big organ in charge of Arthur M. Raymond, at the Mechanics Fair, is the grandest combination of harmony ever heard in that city.

—Lovers of good bread will be pleased to learn that Billy Taylor is back again at Totman's.

—Mrs. Stetson, the mother of Mrs. Samuel Orcutt, died at her home in Scituate, yesterday.

—Mechanics Temple of Honor had a well attended meeting last Friday night and worked the first degree on two candidates.

—Alfonso Grande, who did the shooting on Water street Sunday night, surrendered himself to the court at Quincy on Wednesday, and after a short hearing gave $600 bail to appear for further examination.

—The clam chowder supper, which was announced for Wednesday evening, in the Congregational church will take place to-night. An entertainment will follow the supper.

—The Garfield Lyceum met last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing term ending June 17th: President, Aubrey Hart; vice presidents, William Reamy, Charles Randall, Benj. Blanchard, Davis Clapp, Fred Raymond; recording secretary, Harry Walker; treasurer, Frank Damon; standing committee, A. Hart, M. Greaney and A. LePorte. The next question will be: "Which derives the greater benefit from invention, agriculture or the manufactures?"

—The storm of Wednesday interfered with the plans of the Unitarian society for an antiquarian supper and it was postponed until to-night. It will take place at 6 o'clock and will be followed by an entertainment.

—Crescent Lodge I. O. O. F. was disappointed last night in not receiving a visit from the District Deputy, but initiated three candidates.

—Hiram Porter received a fine gratuity from F. N. Bates Thanksgiving, in the form of a good sized R. I. turkey.

Lovell's Corner.

—Mr. Chester D. Pratt, one of our oldest citizens, passed away quite suddenly last week Wednesday. He took his son to the station at South Weymouth and on returning drove into his barn and began to unharness his horse, some one going to the barn a little later found him lying on the floor unconscious. Help was at once summoned but he died in a few minutes. Funeral services were held at his late residence last Friday and the remains were interred at Mt. Hope cemetery.

—The members of the Porter congregation remembered their pastor with a generous donation for Thanksgiving.

—Mr. Thomas Morgan has just purchased a stylish new horse and we judge some one will have to take his dust in the future.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tisdale are receiving congratulations on the advent of another little girl.

—Rev. Mr. Reece of East Braintree occupied the pulpit of the Porter church last Sunday afternoon. In the evening the pastor Rev. E. E. Phillips preached on the "Founders of Methodism."

—Mr. Frank Burke a former resident of this village was recently married in Brockton and came home to spend the honeymoon with his mother, Mrs. Thomas Morgan.

The Pastor's Mistake.

Pastor—What did I say in my sermon yesterday that you objected to?

Mr. De Good—You surprise me, my dear sir. I did not object to anything.

Pastor—But I heard you give a very audible snort at something I said.

Mr. De Good—Oh, no; no indeed. That was only a snore.—New York Weekly.

Misplaced Generosity.

Housemaid—Oh, professor, professor, just think, I have actually swallowed a pin!

Professor (looking up from his book)—What, you've swallowed a pin? Well, here's another one for you.—Fliegende Blatter.

A Speaking Picture.

Thomson—See this picture of Johnson. Isn't it truly a speaking picture?

Johnson—So it is. (Growing nervous.) Let's come away. It may ask us for a loan.—Yankee Blade.

Weymouth Locals.

—Who will be the next postmaster? This is a very interesting matter just now. There are several candidates spoken of for the position. Those whose names have come to our ears at this writing are John B. Whelan, B. F. Johnson and James W. Rand. Very likely others may be brought forward later. Mr. Lyon's term of office does not expire until April, 1894, and there will, undoubtedly, be no change until then, as it is not customary to remove competent officials until their four years' terms have expired.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Tinkham entertain the Euchre club this evening.

—Mr. B. F. Paine will move into the house just vacated by Mr. Lorenzo H. Loud on Front street.

—The Tufts Library is thronged with visitors every evening. Everyone praises the beautiful building and rooms.

—For information concerning the People's Institute and the evening classes see the important notice in another column.

—The hour of the evening service at the Trinity church has been changed from 3 p. m. to 7.30 p. m.

—Mr. Albert M. Arnold, a highly-respected citizen of this place died suddenly Wednesday evening at 10 o'clock of heart disease. The deceased was born at Braintree, Oct. 30, 1837, but had resided in this town for many years. He had a large circle of friends who will be pained to learn of his sudden death. Mr. Arnold had not been well for some time but was thought to be on the road to recovery and his sudden death was wholly unexpected. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter. The funeral will take place from his late residence on Torrey's Lane at 2 p. m.

—Miss Ellen Donahue has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Coleran.

—Schooner Hyena from Bangor arrived this week at J. B. Rhines & Co.'s with 120,000 ft. of lumber.

—The funeral of the late John A. Field took place from the church of the Sacred Heart last Friday morning and was largely attended. The interment was at Catholic cemetery.

—Judge James H. Flint presided at the district court last week, Judge Humphrey being on a week's vacation.

—Edgar C. Porter of the firm of Geo. E. Porter & Co., is confined to the house, threatened with an attack of fever.

—William Denton has three children sick with scarlet fever.

—William Cary from Kennebeck, Maine, is here on a visit to friends.

—John Hyland has moved to East Weymouth.

—Lorenzo H. Loud removed to Roxbury, Tuesday.

—On petition of citizens to make Foye's avenue a public way the selectmen will meet at that place next Thursday, Dec. 8, and decide whether it is advisable or not.

—Business at the factory of Frederick Cate is rushing. Twenty new machines were put in last week.

—A runaway horse made things very lively at Lincoln square Sunday afternoon. The carriage in which there were four men tipped over while coming around the corner of Broad and Washington streets, throwing the occupants out. The horse with the running part of the carriage went over Broad street and collided with a hydrant in front of the residence of E. S. Hunt, breaking it short off, and for a time quite a flood was running over the street and square. Superintendent Reis was quickly on the spot, the water shut off and a new hydrant put in. The carriage was badly wrecked and two of the men were badly bruised.

—Don't fail to witness the fine drama, "The Chaperon" at Lincoln Hall, this evening.

—The meeting of the U. L. C. was postponed, Tuesday last, on account of the inclemency of the weather. The next meeting will take place Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, at the residence of Mrs. R. L. Hunt, when the programme prepared for the last meeting will be carried out.

—The wrapper business at F. E. Hobart's is increasing rapidly. Having outgrown the old method of hand work, Mr. Hobart has about a dozen machines in operation in the old library building, a 4-horse Shipman engine furnishing the power. Not being able to keep pace with his orders more machines will be added soon.

—The Weymouth Savings Bank rooms are well worthy of a visit. With its new furniture and banking apparatus, new vault, etc., this institution steps into the forward ranks of saving banks of the state. Its financial condition was also most excellent by its last report.

—A large party of friends of Miss Mary Coleran tendered her a surprise party at her home on Washington street, last Tuesday evening. She was presented with a handsome gold ring.

HIS ASTONISHMENT GREW.

They taught her both Latin and German; then Greek
And Science and Physics profound.
Why, the girl really knew, before she could speak,
The world was most certainly round.

She sang like a bird, she could play like the wind;
She danced, she could ride, she could row.
'Twas rumored there was not a thing on the earth
Of which she was ignorant; so

When he wrote her a note saying, "I would be pleased
On Wednesday to call once again,"
His astonishment grew at this word he received
(It cost him the deepest of pain):

Miss Blank regretts her engagements is such she will be unabel to receive Mr. Gray on Wensday, but will be delited to have him call on the day following.—New York Sun.

Slipshod.

"Yes," said the editor, as he put his gum brush into the ink bottle and tried to paste on a clipping with his pen: "yes, the great fault of newspaper contributors is carelessness. Indeed," he continued, as he dropped the copy he had been writing into the waste paper basket and marked "Editorial" across the corner of a poem entitled "An Ode to Death," "contributors are terribly careless. You would be surprised," said he, as he clipped out a column of fashion notes and labeled them "Agriculture," "to see the slipshod writing that comes into the editorial sanctum. Misspelled, unpunctuated, written on both sides of the sheet, illegible, ungrammatical stuff. Contributors are terribly careless. They are"—

Just then the office boy came in, in that dictatorial and autocratic manner he has, and demanded more copy, and the editor handed him the love letter he had just written to his sweetheart.—Exchange.

His Definition.

A captain who was one of the school board in a New England seaport town was visiting the school one afternoon, and heard the class read from Webster's address at Plymouth.

"Who was Webster?" asked the captain.

"A statesman," said one boy. "An orator," said another.

"But what is a statesman?" asked the captain.

"A man who goes around making speeches," answered a small boy.

"That's not just exactly right," said the captain smiling. "Now I go around making speeches once in awhile, but I'm not a statesman at all."

"I know what a statesman is," spoke up a bright little fellow. "It's a man who goes around making good speeches."—Youth's Companion.

Weymouth Savings Bank.

List of deposits published in conformity to the requirements of Chap. 249, Sect. 1, of the Acts of the Legislature of 1887, which have not been increased by deposits or diminished by withdrawals for twenty years.

Name.	Residence	Amount.
Michael Cline,	Unknown,	$92.55
Lewis F. Dempsey,	East Weymouth,	26.82
Mrs. Elizabeth M. Shaw,	Unknown,	261.77
Abby M. Thayer,	Unknown,	68.11
George H. Wilde,	Unknown,	75.60

CHAS. T. CRANE, Treasurer.

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FARM AND GARDEN

A WINTER POULTRY HOUSE.

A Practical Building for Laying Hens Described by Country Gentleman.

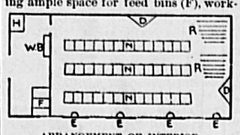
The building shown in Fig. 1 is neat and practical for the needs of poultry keepers. It is constructed either of weatherboarding outside or planed boards, as preferred and can be afforded. The building is lined with stiff straw paper on the inside, or tar paper will do,

A WINTER HOUSE FOR LAYING HENS.

and it will help to keep away vermin, answering two purposes. This makes a warm room, free from chill or wintry winds, and with the aid of the cook stove, in which a small fire can be kept burning on extremely cold days, it will always be comfortable. The entrances to the runs are closed up tight, and only during the middle of the day is one entrance opened to let the fowls out if they choose to sniff a little fresh air, which they often will do. For ventilation the upper window in front of the building above the door is opened at the top enough to permit a free circulation of pure air throughout the building. Being higher up than the rest of the windows and out of the reach of the birds, there is no possibility of their taking cold from drafts. This is a point worth considering, for colds mean roup, and winter is just the season when the most trouble is encountered.

Fig. 2 shows arrangement of interior. The nests are placed in rows in the center of the building; the back of each row or tier, being three or four nests high, is boarded up so as to make the nest back as dark as possible. This building is 50 feet long, 20 feet wide and 15 feet high, and will accommodate fifty hens, or forty hens would be plenty if you find them the least crowded. The crowded condition of many poultry houses keeps the hens from doing as well at laying as they otherwise would.

The stove or heater (H) is separated from the hens' quarters by a wire netting partition. The room is 10 by 20 feet, giving ample space for feed bins (F), work-



ARRANGEMENT OF INTERIOR.

bench (W B) and all necessary fittings and tools that are kept handy when needed about the building. R R are the roosts, D D dust boxes, E E windows. This house can be erected at a cost not exceeding $150 unless you put in extra lumber and fit it up finely; then $250 can be easily put into it. It is substantial, not the flimsy sort that some erect at fifty or seventy-five dollars. The runs outside can be made with wire netting when you desire to use the pens in the breeding season.

Saving Seed Corn.

It should be selected while husking, before severe freezing takes place. Corn intended for seed ought to be thoroughly dried and seasoned through and placed where it will not be exposed to moisture or extreme cold. This is the best time of the year to change seed, if the kind you are growing is not suited to your locality. A change of soil is important (from heavy to light soils, and vice versa), but not a change of climate, unless perhaps from a colder to a warmer.

As a rule, save only such ears as are nearly true to type, well filled at tips and butts and fully matured. Always save the best ear from stalks bearing two or more, when the ears are large and perfect; otherwise there is doubtful benefit in it, as like produces like often enough to demonstrate that one good, big, well filled ear on a stalk is better than two or three small, imperfect ones; besides so much depends on the methods of the grower. Where thin seeding is the practice, prolific habits are best. The more ears the better. Where much stover is allowed to grow, if the stalks will produce one good ear the grower should be satisfied.

The old fashioned way of leaving a few husks on the ear and hanging up by them is a good, safe way. An enterprising Yankee has invented a wire eye screw to turn into the pith at the butts and then string on a small wire, then hanging them up. Any one can cut short pieces of wire and bend into such form as will make them stay in the cob and hang up in same way. — Ohio Farmer.

The Mole Disgusted.

Dr. J. P. Stelle says in the Fort Worth Gazette that he has always been able to drive moles away from his garden by a very simple method, now to be described. Open small holes in the tunnels here and there and pour in a little cheap molasses. The molasses gums the fur of the animal, engenders disgust and causes it to transfer its operations to more cleanly localities. Coal tar would probably be better than molasses, though more expensive and less convenient. One good application of the molasses has usually driven the moles away for the season.

Remedy for Weevil in the Granary.

Bisulphide of carbon—about one pound to a ton of grain—is the best and most convenient material for the purpose. As the liquid is exceedingly volatile it does not need a force pump for its application, but may be simply placed in an open vessel on top of the grain in a tight granary. Exposure to the air removes all disagreeable odor, and no injury is done to the grain.—Country Gentleman.

BEE DIARRHEA.

A Prominent Beekeeper Expresses Opinions Based on a Long Experience.

Bee diarrhea often occurs quite early in the winter, to the confusion of the amateur apiarists. Here is what an old and experienced beekeeper says on the subject in "Gleanings in Bee Culture:"

If the bees are in the cellar and the, temperature of the cellar is above 48 degs. F., I would try cooling the cellar. On the other hand, if the temperature is 40 degs. or cooler, I would try warming it up to the temperature first given, or a little higher. When the temperature of a cellar is just right it may be known by the quietness of the bees. The air of any room is always warmest at the top where any warmth producing material is in the room, and for this reason I always put the strongest colonies in the bottom tier when putting them in the cellar, the colonies of medium strength as to numbers in the next tier, while all of the colonies having the smallest number of bees are placed in the upper tier. I have found by years of experience that if a strong colony becomes uneasy while in the top tier it may be quieted by setting it on the cellar bottom, and that a small colony which is in a roar of disturbance can be caused to become as "still as death" by raising it from the bottom of the cellar up to the top; also closing most of the ventilation from the hive having the small colony will cause it to become quiet, and removing a whole top from an uneasy strong colony will cause them to quiet down and cluster compactly together for the rest of the winter. But all this should be attended to when the bees are set in the cellar by putting them in their proper places in the cellar and ventilating each hive as it may require.

If, in spite of all this precaution, some of them begin to spot the hive, I will say that, after trying all plans of cure, I now let them alone, for I consider it a waste of time to fuss with them. If the reader does not agree, he can try giving them a flight in a warm room. Fix a box to set on top of the hive, the same having a glass top; or, should a warm day occur, carry the bees out for a flight; but after all this has been done the bees will generally be dead before June if they have the diarrhea bad enough to spot their combs and the inside of the hive during midwinter or earlier.

One thing which is always against this fussing with single colonies of bees which have become diseased is that by doctoring these the disturbance required is apt to get other colonies uneasy and cause them to become diseased, while otherwise they would have gone through the winter quiet and all right. A change of food is sometimes beneficial; but, as I said before, the greatest success comes by letting them alone after placing them in the cellar, providing the temperature of the cellar can be controlled so it shall not go above 45 nor lower than 42 degs. F.

A Straw Root Pit.

In the accompanying cut is shown an arrangement made by a Maryland farmer to form a room under a straw rick in which to store turnips and potatoes. Concerning this novel root pit the inventor writes as follows in the Philadelphia Farm Journal:

I have kept with great satisfaction turnips and potatoes, and think it answers as well as a root cellar. I know it is far better than kilns, as the contents are accessible at all times.

ROOT ROOM UNDER A STRAW RICK.

The cost is very small. I cut three good sized posts, with forks at one end, length about nine feet, put them in ground deep enough to be firm, then took two heavy poles about sixteen feet long and placed them in forks of uprights. Then I placed on each side good sized poles close together, the ends resting on ground set a little below surface to keep them from slipping. Against the south "end post" I nailed an old door frame, with door, so when filled could keep under lock and key. I built this skeleton room just before thrashing wheat and placed it so straw in coming from machine would fall over the poles. I also made a skeleton vestibule to door and had it covered with straw.

Grass Farming.

Mr. Denise, of New Jersey, tells in The Rural New Yorker that he seeds wheat with both clover and and timothy. The first year's hay is all clover. This he feeds to his own stock, selling only the second year's cutting, which is nearly pure timothy. The stable manure is all used on the sod for corn. There is one sure thing about grass farming. All should grow clover, but no one should sell it if he can possibly avoid it. Timothy is the grass to sell. Feed clover and sell timothy is sound advice to one who keeps stock.

Agricultural Notes.

The last crop report issued by the department of agriculture indicates that this year's cotton crop is very light, with short staple, gathered generally in good condition.

The yield of corn averaged by November returns 22.4 bushels per acre and promises an aggregate production of a little more than 1,600,000,000 bushels.

Statistician Dodge puts the total wheat production at about 500,000,000 bushels. The yield of tobacco is less than last year, the average being reported at 682 pounds per acre of all kinds against 784 last year. The average yield of hay is 1.17 tons per acre, nearly the same as in 1891.

The future of the ramie industry in America depends upon a careful understanding of the situation—culture, stripping of the fiber and the preparation of the fiber for manufacture.

Not Away Long.

Mrs. Simpson—You say her husband ran away with the hired girl? How troubled she must be over it!

Mrs. Sampson—Oh, she's happy now. The hired girl came back next day.—Brooklyn Life.

Registration Made Easy.

At a newly opened registration office in the Moabit district of Berlin there appeared an honest master baker who had come to register a birth. In reply to the registrar's inquiry as to the number of his children, the happy father said, in a tone of proud satisfaction, "This is the sixteenth so far," and he subsequently remarked, "I am very pleased that you have opened an office in this ward so that now and on future occasions one hasn't to walk all the way to the Allbrechtstrasse."—Berliner Borsen-Courier.

Against His Principles.

Kindly Housewife—Here, my poor man, I'll get you a nice bit of steak if you'll wait a minute.

Husky Horton (the tramp)—Very kind, mum, but it will be impossible for me to accept your offer. I'm a vegetarian, mum, and if you happen to have a little beer or old rye whisky—both of which are purely vegetable products—I shall be glad to pay take of your hospitality.—Chicago News Record.

Johnny's Theory.

Mamma—What's the reason you and your sister can't get along without quarreling?

Little Johnny—I dunno. Mebby she takes after you, an I take after papa.—Good News.

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"It's Our Family Doctor Now."

"The Friend and Blessing the Poor Sufferer Needs."

Mr. Cook found health, happiness and economy in the use of a simple remedy.

"I suffered for years with DYSPEPSIA and LIVER COMPLAINT, and was nearly a cripple with a sore leg, writes Mr. James Cook, of Catskill, New York, and after spending $475 with doctors I found myself no better. I then determined to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y., and after using three bottles which cost me just $3 I was entirely cured."

Such words from a gentleman of Mr. Cooks standing, should receive great attention from those in need of a medicine that cures disease.

We guarantee Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy to absolutely cure Kidney and Liver complaints, Gravel, Stone in the Bladder, Bright's Disease, all urinary troubles, Diabetes, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Rheumatism, Skin Eruptions, Scrofula, Humors, Ulcers, Sores and Pimples, Disordered Stomach, Sick Headache, Biliousness and Purify the Blood. It Permanently Cures All Female Weaknesses.

We could name scores of people here, and elsewhere, who have felt not actually sick, but weak, worn and weary, but who are now strong and well, solely by the use of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It's a food for the brain, nerve and muscle, thereby curing sleeplessness, headache, and all nervous troubles.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc, as they may wish. We only ship: late that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.; Vespers 4.00 p.m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. E. E. Phillips, pastor. Sunday-school at 12 45 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m; prayer meeting at 7 p. m. tf

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. J. H. McDonald, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Epworth League 6.00 p. m.; evening service, 7.00 p. m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; evening service 6.30 p. m. Strangers, new-comers, all who have no church are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all, a part for all. A welcome for all.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 9.00 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p. m.; Social service at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, UNIVERSALIST (South Weymouth)—Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Preaching service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Young People's meeting at 7. All are cordially welcome. tf

TEMPERANCE HALL, (East Weymouth)—Gospel Temperance meeting at 3.30 p. m.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.; Holy Communion at 11.45 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12.15; Evening service at 7.30 p. m. Subject of the sermon in the morning "Self Consecration," and in the evening. "Confirmation."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; followed by the Lord's Supper; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; Bible day concert exercises by Sunday-school at 7. p. m. All are cordially invited.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. W. S. Key, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Subject, "And God said: let there be light and there was light." At 7 p. m. the meeting of the Guild of the Good Shepherd. Young people especially welcome.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. Oliver Huckle, pastor. Next Sunday, service with sermon at 10.30, and 7.30. Evening subject, fourth talk on the Apostles Creed, special subject, "I believe in the Holy Ghost." Sunday-school at noon. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. A cordial welcome to these services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth.)—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Rev. F. W. Perkins of Tufts College, will preach next Sunday. Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Rev. F. W. Pelkins will preach next Sunday; Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7.00 p. m.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (North Weymouth).—Rev. Allan B. Hudson, pastor. Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school with pastor's Bible class at 10.30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m. Subject, "Christlikeness the goal of Christian ambition." Young People's service at 6 p. m., and union evangelistic service, at which all christians are invited to attend and participate, at 7 p. m.

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TWO SWEETHEARTS.

The eyes of Lizette are like miniature seas,
With ripples that laugh, and willows that weep
On the shore, and the low bending boughs of the trees
Deepen and soften the shadows that creep
At night near the ocean edge, fashioned to fret
A soul into sinning—the eyes of Lizette.

The eyes of Marie were designed to derange
The minds of weak mortals. There is something about
Them so sweetly pathetic, as deep and as strange
As two holes in the night where the stars are pulled out.
How can I choose then, which shall it be—
Laughing Lizette or little Marie?

—Cy Warman in New York Sun.

A STRANGE AFFAIR

At a wayside inn, on the old road that then ran between Philadelphia and C——, in the state of Pennsylvania, a very strange and curious affair occurred in the fall of 1797. One dark, rainy, disagreeable night a mounted traveler, well muffled up in a great coat, with its broad cape turned up over his head like a cowl, his chin and lower part of his face buried in a large bandana handkerchief, and with a broad, black patch over his right eye, rode up to the tavern and called for supper and lodging. At the large fire burning in the chimney of the barroom he sat and warmed and dried himself while his meal was being prepared, without removing any of his garments, not even so much as his hat, and when the landlord at length announced that his repast was ready he simply remarked:

"I have a severe pain in my face, so you must excuse my going to the table as I am."

He ate his supper in silence, and showed no disposition for conversation, called for a strong glass of brandy and water, and soon after asked to be conducted to his room, adding that he was very much fatigued.

"By the way," he said to the landlord, who in person lighted him to his bedroom, "I may as well leave my pocketbook and watch in your possession till morning," at the same time handing those articles to the host, who took them with some reluctance, saying:

"I reckon they'd be quite as safe here with yourself, though I'll keep them for you if you wish me to."

"You'll oblige me by doing so," rejoined the stranger.

"Well, then, said the innkeeper, "I must know how much money you've got here if I've got to be responsible for it."

"Please open the pocketbook, then, and count for yourself," returned the stranger.

The host did so and said:

"I make it $215."

"Right," rejoined the traveler, "and while I'm about it I may as well add this purse, which contains fifty-one dollars in specie."

The landlord also counted the coin, part gold and part silver, said the amount was right and went out, bidding the other good night.

About 2 o'clock in the morning a neighbor living within a stone's throw of the tavern, and who claimed to be up with a sick child, fancied he heard above the roar of the storm, which had increased in violence, a wild shriek, followed by two cries of "Help! Murder!"

He was rather a timid man, and was much alarmed. He blew out his light, cautiously opened the door, looked out and listened. The storm beat into his face and howled around his dwelling, but he could see nothing, not even a light at the inn, and he heard nothing more that sounded like a human voice. He shut the door and fastened it, and then woke up his wife and told her all. She happened to be a woman of unusual nerve and courage, and after putting a few questions replied with a yawn:

"Oh, Jim, it was only one of your fancies. You're always hearing something that nobody else does! Just think how many times you've hunted the house over for robbers since I've lived with you! Just tend to Mary, will you, and let me get a little sleep, for you know I didn't have any last night."

"I know it wasn't any fancy, but a real human cry!" grumbled the man as he walked away and allowed his drowsy spouse to return to her dreams.

The dull, leaden gray of morning was just beginning to dispel the inky blackness of the stormy night, when the landlord of the wayside inn was aroused by a series of thundering knocks upon the outer door of his habitation. He sprung out of bed, hastily drew on his trousers and boots, took his waistcoat in his hand and hurried down to his supposed customers. On opening the door he found himself confronted with two rough looking men, well muffled up against the storm, which as yet had scarcely abated in fury. Their horses, panting, splashed with mud, with drooping heads, were hitched at the nearest post, and showed by their looks that they had been ridden fast and far.

"Did a mounted traveler stop at this inn last night?" abruptly inquired one of the two strangers.

"Yes," was the answer.

"Is he still here?"

"He is."

"Will you describe his appearance?"

"As well as I can," said the wondering host, "for I didn't get to see much of his face." And he not only proceeded with the description of his person, but added all that the traveler had said and done, including the affair of the money.

"I think we've got him this time!" said the one who had addressed the landlord, turning to his companion.

"It looks like it," was the reply; "but he's no doubt a desperate fellow, and we'd better proceed with caution till we make all sure!"

"Hark you, landlord!" said the first speaker in a low tone, "a word in your private ear! We are officers from justice, from Philadelphia, in pursuit of a bank robber, and we suspect your strange guest to be the man we seek! Here is the warrant for his arrest. Now conduct us quietly to his room, and, if need be, assist us in securing him!"

"Certainly," returned the host turning somewhat pale, as it was afterward remembered, and seeming not a little agitated. "Walk in, gentlemen—this way, gentlemen!"

He conducted them into the barroom and hurriedly struck a light, for it was yet too dark to see anything distinctly.

"I hope the fellow has not heard us!" said one of the officers drawing a pistol, while the other produced a pair of handcuffs.

"I hope it won't be necessary to shoot, gentlemen!" said the host with increased agitation.

"We will all go up softly and try his door," said the officer with the pistol, "and if we find it fast perhaps it will be better for us to remain on guard and wait till he comes out himself."

The host, light in hand, led the way, though with seeming reluctance, as it not over courageous. On reaching the door, which the three parties had approached with light, stealthy steps, the landlord tried it very gently, and finding it unfastened slowly and softly pushed it open and went in, followed by the officers. The next moment the innkeeper exclaimed in a tone of alarm and agitation:

"Gracious heaven! what's the meaning of this?"

The bed was tumbled, but vacant—no traveler was there—and the sheets and pillow cases were stained with blood!

The officers looked meaningly at each other and then at the host, who, pale and trembling, sunk half fainting upon the nearest seat. For a few moments there was a deep and ominous silence, and then one of the officers said, slowly and with pointed emphasis:

"Landlord, this is very strange!"

"The strangest thing I ever knew!" fairly gasped the innkeeper, glancing around him in frightened bewilderment. "Where can the man have gone to!"

"And this blood too!" sternly chimed in the other officer. "What does this mean, if not some foul play?"

"Oh, gentlemen," said the host in a low, tremulous tone, "I hope you don't suspect me, for I'm as innocent as a child unborn. And now I remember, too, when I went to the door to let you in I found it wasn't fastened, and I'm right sure I fastened it myself before I went to bed."

"We certainly do suspect you, sir," said the other officer; "for how can we help it since the man is gone and you, as you have confessed, have his money in your possession?"

"But he gave me the money to keep for him," cried the frightened host, "and I've got it yet."

"Undoubtedly you have, but that, you see, so far from proving you know nothing of the affair, only tends to make matters the worse for you."

"Perhaps he's about here yet somewhere!" suggested the innkeeper. "If he's a bank robber and heard your knocks, he'd be quite likely to hide himself, or run away, I should think."

The idea was worthy of attention, and a search for the missing man was forthwith begun. On looking under the bed blood was discovered on the floor, and the trail of this was found to lead out of the room, down the stairs and out of the front door—showing that the object of search, either living or dead, had gone out of the house. Beyond the building there were no traces, for the storm had obliterated them. The hostler was called, the only other man about the house, but he appeared to be a kind of stupid fellow, and evidently knew nothing of the matter, and a look in the barn showed the stranger's horse still there.

About an hour later the neighbor mentioned came over to the inn in great agitation and alarm, said there was the body of a murdered man lying by the roadside, and also stated what he had heard during the night.

All hurried to the scene of the tragedy, and there beheld the body of a coarse featured man of forty, which the officers believed from its general appearance to be that of the villain they were seeking; but whether that of the stranger who had lodged at the cabin no one could tell. The body was covered with blood, and the man had evidently died from knife wounds in the breast.

Throughout that thinly peopled section the news spread rapidly, and before night a large number of excited spectators, including the sheriff, coroner and two magistrates, had collected at the inn. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts; and, though there was no direct evidence against the landlord, yet suspicion pointed so strongly to him as the murderer, that he was taken into custody and committed for trial.

In due time the trial came on, but the jury could not agree and were finally discharged. A second trial resulted like the first, and the innkeeper, whose name was Williams, was kept in prison over a year.

How the affair would have eventually terminated had the mystery not been cleared up in an unexpected manner it is impossible to say, but ere the time fixed for the third trial arrived a stranger appeared before the magistrate of the county and deposed that he himself was the individual who had lodged at the inn on the night of the murder, and for taking whose life the landlord was still in prison.

In the course of his evidence he stated that he had been a merchant in Philadelphia, who finding himself on the eve of failure had collected a large amount of money and run away; and that all trace of himself might be lost and his death expected, he had adopted the plan of putting a small part of the money in the hands of the innkeeper, ostensibly for safe keeping, and secretly departing in the night on foot, not supposing anything very serious would result to the landlord from this course of action.

On getting up somewhere about midnight his nose had set to bleeding, which would explain the traces of blood he had left behind him. He made his way to Baltimore, and thence sailed to Havana, where he had been so fortunate in his speculations as to find himself in a condition to return and settle honorably with all his creditors. On coming home and giving an account of his adventures to a friend he had for the first time learned with horror of the almost fatal consequences to the innkeeper of his unjustifiable disappearance, and had hastened to make what reparation lay in his power. His testimony was subsequently corroborated on all important points, and the innkeeper was honorably discharged, to the great relief and joy of his sympathizing friends. As a partial recompense for what he had suffered on his account the merchant made him a present of the horse and money he had left with him and $2,000 besides.

But the clearing up of one part of this strange affair only seemed to involve the other in still deeper mystery. A murder had surely been committed, but by whom? And who was the unfortunate victim?

Even this, in course of time, was also made manifest. Some years after a villain, under sentence of death, confessed that he was a partner of the bank robber, and that, having made an equal division of the spoil, they had agreed to leave the city by different routes and meet at an appointed place, that, eager to secure the whole of the booty, he had secretly taken his partner's road instead of the one agreed upon, and had waylaid and murdered him within a few rods of the tavern kept by Williams, who by being arrested for the crime had drawn off all suspicion from himself.

Thus were these recorded deeds of that tempestuous night eventually brought to light, and the innocent cleared and rewarded, and the guilty detected and punished.—E. B. in Buffalo News.

No Trouble About That.

"I was a week at the seashore, and I still have the roar of the ocean in my ears."

"Well, there's plenty of room for it."—Harper's Bazar.

WINTER WHEATS.

Standard and New Varieties Worthy of Trial.

Numbered with the new varieties of wheat that seem worthy of trial is the Rochester Red, a bald sort, with large heads, red chaff and red grain. It is medium early, ripening a little before the Fultz. Another promising bald variety is the Red Clawson, a cross between the Golden Cross fertilized on the Clawson. This is an early wheat, and is said to be specially suited to heavy clay soils. The grain is dark and hard.

JONES' WINTER FIFE.

Jones' Winter Fife, illustrated in the cut here reproduced from Henderson's American Farm Manual, is another bald wheat of unusual promise. It originated from a combined cross, the first cross being from Mediterranean and a seedling, this seedling being a cross between Mediterranean and Fultz, which was crossed with Velvet Chaff. It is a strong grower, covering the ground early in the season, and requiring light seeding on rich soil. The straw is above medium height and strong; heads long and broad and free from beards, with breasts overlapping each other; ripens early; grain of medium size; requires to be left until fully ripe before harvested, and does not shell in the field; transparent, hard and dark. This newcomer, it is thought, is well adapted for the eastern states.

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BROTHER GARDNER HAS SOMETHING TO SAY ABOUT LANGUAGE.

He Instructs Brother Watkins in the Simple Use of Words and Tells Him to Be More Careful in the Future—Beware of Webster.

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"If Brudder Shindig Watkins am in de hall dis evenin, he will please step dis way," said Brother Gardner as the regular business of the meeting had been disposed of.

Brother Watkins had just got settled down, with his back within eleven inches of a redhot stove, and it was with considerable hesitation that he vacated his place and limped up the aisle and stood before the president's desk.

"Brudder Watkins," said the president as he looked down upon him in a fatherly way, "war yo' present one eavenin 'bout a y'ar ago when I had sunthin to say to de members on de subjeck of language?"

"I—I dun forgot, sah."

"Yes, it seems so, Brudder Watkins. I was obler to de grocery de odder eavenin to git fo' dozen clothespins an a quart of kerosene fle. I saw yo' dar, but yo' was too busy to see me. Yo' had met up wid a strange nigge from Virginny, an yo' was spreadin yo'self to make him believe yo' was de greatest man in dis town. I had my pencil handy, an I writ down some of yo'r words an sentences. Kin yo' tell me, Brudder Watkins, what collation means?"

"N-no, sah."

"Um! In dat conversashun yo' used de word 'coadjustment.' What did yo' mean by it, Brudder Watkins?"

"I doan' reckolect, sah."

"Dat's too bad! I heard yo' say to him dat 'de audacity of de distributary doorin de past summer led yo' to concoct a festination dis winter.' I'ze sorter curi'us to know what yo' meant. An we gwine to hev a hard winter, a mild winter or July weather right frew de cold months?"

"I—was jess talkin, sah," stammered Brother Watkins.

"Jess talkin, eh? Yo' knowed dat nigger was a stranger in a strange town an sorter skeert, an so yo' wanted to show off! While dat pore man sot dar tremblin an shakin yo' suddenly axed him if he eber 'fulminated a hostile impeccuniosity in his travels about de kentry.' Please explain what yo' war drivin at, Brudder Watkins."

"I can't tell, sah."

"Can't, eh? Doorin dat conversashun yo' made use of de words 'eventuate,' 'incinerate,' 'logistical,' 'matriculate,' 'nutrication' an 'orthographical.' Kin yo' explain de meanin of any of 'em?"

"No, sah."

"Um! Brudder Watkins, whar did yo' git all dose big words?"

"YO' HAD MET UP WID A STRANGE NIGGER FROM VIRGINNY."

"Outer de dickshunary, sah."

"Misser Webster's dickshunary?"

"Yes, sah."

"Has yo' got dat volume in yo'r house?"

"I has, sah. I dun bought one fur six dollars cash."

"Hu! Yo' dun went an paid six dollars fur a dickshunary while yo' was owin members of dis club ober twenty dollars borrowed money! Yo' am also behind on yo'r dues moas' four dollars, an yo'r wife am borrowin tea an sugar all ober town."

"I'ze sorry, sah!" murmured Brother Watkins, who was getting badly frightened by this time.

"What was yo'r objeck in buyin dat dickshunary of Misser Webster?" sternly demanded the president.

"I dun forgot."

"Hu! I know yo'r objeck, Brudder Watkins! It was to pick out a lot of big words an save 'em up till a strange nigger struck dis town an den jump him outer his butes! Look me in de eye, sah! I'ze got a few words to say to yo', an frew yo' to all older members of dis club! Tomorrer mawnin yo' take dat dickshunary on yo'r shoulder an go fo'th an sell it fur any price yo' kin git. Den yo' return home an soak yo'r head till all dem big words float out an drap down de sewer. Den yo' rinse out yo'r mouf wid some kyann pepper an vinegar an begin life all ober agin!"

"Yes, sah."

"What our race wants at dis present time," continued Brother Gardner, "am taters an bacon 'stead of grammar; cash to pay house rent 'stead of big words; clothes an skulebooks fur de chill'en 'stead of spellin. We do our whitewashin in plain English. We dean' need any big words to help us black a stove. We heat a cat'pet wid a stick 'stead of rusin a grammar. I has bin livin on dis airth upward of sixty y'ars, but neither as a bondman nor free has I eber yit seed de time when I couldn't make a white man understand what I was talkin 'bout. Had I so wished I could hev bought Misser Webster's big book an palliated a propensity toward a querulous refutation, but I did not regard sich a sequential torridity of de least impetuosity. On de contrary, I felt dat de unobtrusiveness of de ambiguity was altogether malignant to de revulsion. Now, Brudder Watkins, yo' sot down. Stay down. Doan' let me see yo' bob to de surface fur de next two months. I doan' know whether yo' killed dat pore, strange nigger or not, but if he still libs an yo' run across him yo' want to ax his forgibness an help him to find a job. De meetin will now break in two an go home."

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

A Correction About the Graveyard—Outcome of the Mule Race.

THANKS.—Our thanks are hereby tendered the Widow Scott, of Tombstone avenue, for a choice selection of winter plants for our private graveyard, in which she has always taken a deep interest. These plants will live and flourish all winter in this climate, and the graveyard will thus be rendered almost as attractive as in summer. We drove Governor Peck, of Wisconsin, out to the inclosure the other day, and after counting up the eleven graves and noting the neat and tidy manner in which everything was kept he declared his belief that there was nothing to compare with it in the known world. While on this subject we may remark that we saw an article in a St. Louis paper the other day giving the number of graves at twenty-seven. We want only what is justly due us. The difference between eleven and twenty-seven represents the number who crawled off in the chaparral to die and were never found. The postmaster of this town will probably make No. 12 before spring, but as the ground here does not freeze more than an inch deep we are in no particular hurry about it.

INTERESTING EVENT.—Last Saturday afternoon the much talked of mule race between the Lone Tree mule Sheet Lightning and the humble animal owned by the editor and proprietor of THE KICKER took place at the track east of town. Our esteemed contemporary is out in a double loaded article criticising and abusing us because we attended the race, but we expected that. The people here understand our position exactly. As editor and proprietor of a great family newspaper—price two dollars per year in advance—we were obliged to take an insignificant looking mule on an advertising contract of fourteen dollars. We offered him for ten dollars cash, but no one would buy. We were riding him out in the country one day to look for a spot to bury him when the Clinch Valley cowboys got after us. Then that mule astonished us by striking a gait which would have made a common flash of lightning look sick. As the editor and proprietor of a great weekly newspaper we could own him and match him for a race, and also be present as a spectator, while the foreman of our office could ride him. In the affair the other day we were present as an editor, who is privileged to go anywhere. We were on the grand stand as the mayor of this town. As the newly elected state senator from this district we bet $250 on our mule, and as a free and enlightened citizen of this glorious republic we stood up and yelled and waved our hat when he came in four lengths ahead without wetting a hair. Our narrow minded and jealous pated contemporary is too ignorant to define our position and too infernal mean to state it if he could, and we therefore make the above explanation. We know the exact amount of dignity to an ounce attached to our proud positions as editor, mayor and senator, and no one need fear that we shall demean ourself in public.

"LET ME TELL YO' SUTHIN."

"Sah, when yo' cum up dar an precariously disinterrupted me de deacon took advantage of de occashun to giv' a grunt an walk off, an by de next time I meet him he'll be already wid his figgers to squash me to squashin."

"Shoo! I'ze dun sorry, Uncle Jason."

"Yes, I reckon, but dat doan' help me any. Did yo' say yo'r name was Abraham?"

"Yes."

"An yo' keeps a pie stand?"

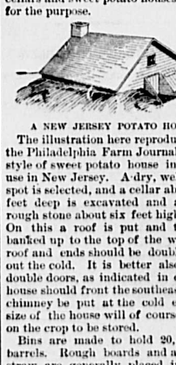
"Yes."

"Waal, boy Abraham, let me tell yo' sunthin. De next time yo' sees me holdin a hermatistical argyment along with a pillar of de opposishun church, an yo' stops an

SWEET POTATOES.

Storing and Keeping—A New Jersey Potato House Illustrated.

In Virginia and farther south sweet potatoes are usually kept over winter in pits covered with earth. In states farther north better protection than is afforded by these earth covered pits is required, and therefore, where large crops of sweet potatoes are to be stored, cellars and sweet potato houses are used for the purpose.



A NEW JERSEY POTATO HOUSE.

The illustration here reproduced from the Philadelphia Farm Journal shows a style of sweet potato house in common use in New Jersey. A well drained spot is selected, and a cellar about three feet deep is excavated and a wall of rough stone about six feet high is built. On this a roof is put and the earth banked up to the top of the wall. The roof and ends should be double to keep out the cold. It is better also to have double doors, as indicated in cut. The house should front the southeast and the chimney be put at the cold end. The size of the house will of course depend on the crop to be stored.

Bins are made to hold 20, 50 or 100 barrels. Rough boards and a layer of straw are generally placed in the bottom and against the wall before putting the potatoes in the bin. A small cast iron cylinder coal burning stove is the kind in common use for heating. The fire should be started a few days in advance of storing to dry out the house, and a little be kept burning for a week afterward to dry off the potatoes, as they invariably go through a sweating process. During this time ventilation should be freely given. Afterward just enough fire should be maintained to keep the temperature between 60 and 70 degs. Sweet potatoes to keep well must be stored before heavy frosts kill the

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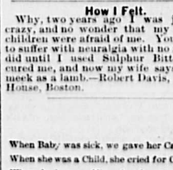

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What, to Do with Cornstalks.

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Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Henry A. Nash of Weymouth, in the county of Norfolk.

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Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of . . . any . . . disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding $100.

Sec. 43. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects of give such notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.

The Board considers the above sections to apply to Diptheria, Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Measles and Whooping Cough.

J. CLARENCE HOWE, Chairman. P. O. Address, So. Weymouth.
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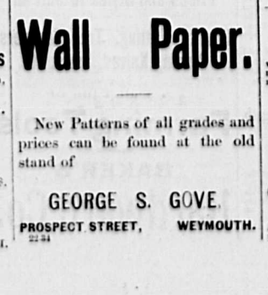

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He who on that ocean launches
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All is mystery before thee;
But in peace and love and faith
And with hope attended, sail'st thou
Off upon the sea of death.

Undismay'd, my noble sailor,
Speed thou! spread thy canvass out;
Spirit on a sea of ether,
Soon shalt thou serenely float.

Where the deep no plummet soundeth,
Fear no hidden breakers there;
And the fanning wings of angels
Shall thy bark right onward bear.

Quit now, full of heart and comfort,
These Azores—they are of earth;
Where the rosy clouds are parting,
There the blessed isles loom forth.

See'st thou now thy San Salvador?
Him, thy Saviour, thou shalt hail,
Where no storms of earth shall reach thee,
Where thy hope shall no more fail.

Portland, Me., Nov. 2, 1892. M.

Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, December 3, 1892.

Lots of amusement is to be found in the hotel lobbies, now that every train is bringing Washington's ever beloved Congressmen in for the session which opens next week. When two of them meet and shake hands the look of doubt, which in nine cases out of ten flits across both faces, is greeted with shouts of laughter from the loungers who have sized them up. Neither of them is certain for a moment whether it is condolence on his defeat, or congratulation on his election that must be extended to the other. They soon find out, however, but if they are slow about it the "check" is just that much larger which the last one to "catch on" has to settle with the cashier, while the rest of them wipe their mouths and wait for another victim.

Not even the excitement consequent upon reassembling of Congress can stop the gossip about a social scandal involving the wife of a popular local preacher and a prominent California Congressman. The facts in the case occured last spring while Congress was in session, but they only came out, in fact they are only partially out now, when the betrayed husband filed a suit for divorce from his wife, charging unfaithfulness and naming the California Congressman as correspondent. It seems that one day last spring Rev. Dr. Todd, who had just taken pastoral charge of a large Washington congregation, was very much shocked to find on the floor of his wife's room a note worded as no man has a right to write to another man's wife and signed by the California Congressman. This note made an appointment at the Congressman's room in one of the most select family hotels of the city. As soon as he recovered from the shock Dr. Todd went to two prominent members of his church, showed them the note, and requested them to accompany him to the hotel named. They did so, and there they saw enough to remove all doubt. With rare presence of mind the preacher took his wife to the railroad station, purchased a ticket to New York town where her parents live, and placing her on the train told her to go and come no more. No more was heard of the matter until a few days ago when Mrs. Todd returned to Washington, presumably with the intention of again seeing the Congressman. That was more than even a preacher could stand, so Dr. Todd entered suit for divorce. Probably without intending it in that way, the preacher's lawyer very effectually shielded the Congressman from the exposure he so richly deserves by withdrawing the papers as soon as the suit was docketed. The papers in several other divorce suits in which the parties were prominent have also been withdrawn recently, and quite a rumpus is being raised about it, the judges being charged with acting under social influence.

So much tomfool rot has been written about the cold which has kept Mr. Blaine confined to his house for a few days that I would feel ashamed to mention it, except for the fact that I saw Mr. Blaine to-day, and that he is not a sick man at all, if bright eyes and brighter conversation mean anything. It is probable that he will go to southern California about the first of the year, because he thinks he can work better in that climate during the winter months than in this.

The grim writer of the pale horse, of which old-time writers were wont to spin most gruesome yarns, which made other hair than that which grew upon the cranium of Ichabod Crane and his kind strive to imitate the quills upon the "fretful porcupine," is certainly showing an unpleasant partiality for calling upon the inmates of the White House. This week the venerable Dr. Scott, President Harrison's father-in-law, was the victim, the fourth one taken from the White House within two months; the others being Mrs. Harrison and two employes. Dr. Scott, who was in his ninety-fourth year, died from the effects of a cold contracted when he went to Indianapolis to attend the burial of Mrs. Harrison.

Nearly all of the Congressional families that "keep house" are "at home" for the season, and as it will be the last season that some of them will spend in Washington, for a while anyway, there are indications that they propose adopting the blanket policy of taking in everything that "goes" between this time and the beginning of Lent. A busybody whispered in my ear that some of them had cancelled orders that they had given for entertainments, previous to the election, and were going it on the o. p. e. plan—at other people's expense.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6, 1892.

Congress is again in session, and the eyes of the country turn naturally toward Washington to see the effect of the assembling of the men who have been selected to make the nation's laws. The opening in neither house nor senate differed materially from the usual opening of a second session; the interior of both house and senate chambers are as bright and inviting to look at as paint, varnish and new carpets can make them—much brighter, in fact, than the looks of some of the senators and members who are to end their official life with the present congress. Vice-president Morton and Speaker Crisp were in their respective chairs at high noon today and there was no delay in declaring the senate and the house open for business.

What business will be transacted? is the conundrum that no body is in a position to solve just at this time, although the impression seems to be general that some legislation concerning silver and immigration, which will not be sufficiently objectionable to President Harrison to meet with a veto, is among the probabilities of the session. There are a number of important bills on the calendar of both house and senate, having been passed by one or the other body, that an attempt will be made to put through. Among these are the House Bill providing for the admission of Arizona and New Mexico. At least two republican senators have expressed themselves as being in favor of taking up and passing those bills; one, because he thought there was no good reason for keeping them out, and the other, because he thought they would both send democratic senators, which would make the democratic control of the next senate a certainty, which he is anxious to bring about, and which the democrats haven't the slightest objection to.

An attempt is likely to be made to change the date for the meeting of congress from December to early spring, and although it is championed by republicans who are anxious to precipitate the fight they predict and expect in the Democratic party when the Fifty-Third Congress comes together, by making certain that it shall come together in the spring together in the spring without the necessity of a presidential proclamation convening an extra session, it meets the unqualified approval of many democrats, particularly among those who regard an extra session of the next congress as a necessity, and a majority of the democrats in the present congress unquestionably do. Aside from any question of politics, it would certainly be an improvement to have the congress elected in November meet in the following spring, instead of waiting thirteen months, as it does now, except when called in extra session.

The senate today took up the anti-option bill as the "unfinished business," and unless it can be passed at once or be gotten temporarily out of the way by parliamentary tactics the hard fight against it will result in blocking much other legislation. The lobby which is fighting this bill is a powerful one, and it claims to be certain of defeating the bill because of a change in sentiment concerning the bill in the South and its consequent effect upon senators from that section; but those who favor the bill say that it cannot be beaten on a vote and that the only hope of its opponents is to kill it by prolonging the debate against it until the end of the session. It is understood that Vice-president Morton's sympathies are with the opponents of the bill. If that be correct he can aid in many ways in prolonging the discussion to the end of the session.

President Harrison's message to congress differs in several respects from any of his previous messages. In the first place, it is not so well written, a fact fully accounted for by the recent sad happenings at the White House. The only wonder is that he could have written it at all. It presents in a compact form the work of the present administration, of course, from a strong protection republican point of view, and reiterates Mr. Harrison's belief in the principles upon which his party has just sustained a national defeat, and intimates his belief that those principles will again triumph in the near future. With the exception of that in favor of the establishment of a national quarantine, the message contains no new recommendation of importance.

I have it from trustworthy authority that Surgeon-Gen. Wyman, of the Marine Hospital service, will in his annual report, shortly to be made public, make a strong plea for the suspension of all immigration for the year 1893, as a precaution to keep the cholera out of the United States. The sentiment in favor of a suspension of immigration is growing very rapidly in congress, and unless something shall occur to change it, some legislation looking to that end will almost surely go through at this session.

WILLARD.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.—Weather for New England for November, 1892.—Advance Bulletin Issued for General Publication by the New England Weather Service.

The weather for the month of November as reported by the voluntary observers of the New England Weather Service was wetter than usual, with a nearly normal temperature. The temperature ranges were neither large nor rapid; the maximum was slightly over 60° and occurred on the 17th at most stations. Low temperatures occurred on the 11th, 12th, 23d, and 24th, the minimum being generally on the latter date and ranging from 10° to 20° below freezing point of water. At Boston the mean daily temperature was very near the normal during the first half of the month; it was above from the 14th to the 19th and then below from the 20th to the end of the month.

The precipitation was above the normal in the south and at or slightly below in the north. The total for the month was from three to four inches in most of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, and from five to seven inches in most of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. The total at New York City was 8.28 inches. More than the usual amount of snow fell except in some parts of the northern districts. The fall amounted from four to ten inches in the south and from three to twelve inches in the north. In the latter section it nearly all came on the 2d, 8th and 10th and comparatively little on the 28th-30th, while along the coast the fall was heavy on the latter dates and little or none came during the first part of the month. The earlier snows melted very rapidly as the ground was not generally frozen and very little lay on the ground at the middle of the month in any section. On the 30th the snow covering was from a trace to four inches in the north and from three to eleven inches in the south. Although the ground was bare during most of the month no injury has been done to grass and fall sown grain because of the equable temperature. In many fields the thick growth of grass during the fall will serve as a splendid protection to grass roots this winter.

On the 18th the Connecticut valley was visited by a severe wild-storm which worked considerable injury. A number of tobacco barns were blown down and others unroofed; a number of workmen were injured in a falling barn at Winsor, Conn. In southwestern New Hampshire much damage was done to buildings and trees. The storm of the 27th-30th was most severe on the extreme southeastern coast.

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Literary Notes.

"Christmas Stories of All Nations" form the distinguishing feature of the December number of Romance, nearly every country which celebrates the greatest of festival-days being represented in this remarkable collection. Here are stories of Christmas angels and Christmas beggars; stories with a laugh in every line, and stories which touch the font of tears; but all of them pure, strong and fascinating. There is also a large variety of other tales for those who do not care for the Christmas element, among them a true ghost story, a brilliant society sketch, the history of an interesting cat, and a vivid picture of a southern protracted meeting. This magazine is issued by Romance Publishing company, Clinton Hall, Astor Place, New York, at 25 cents a number, or $2.50 a year; and the Christmas number will be sent free to subscribers for 1893.

The Review of Reviews for December sustains with remarkable enterprise and ability the great reputation this magazine has won for timeliness, exact pertinency and wide range of interest. Among its almost countless illustrations are groups including some thirty of the newly-elected governors of states. No other magazine could possibly have secured and made such illustrations and actually embodied them in its December number, for in many instances it was not definitely known until the middle of November who were actually elected as governors. The editor's review of the election and his discussion of the results will attract wide attention. The editorial department entitled "The Progress of the World" is unusually extended this month.

On the counters of H. W. Dyer, South Weymouth, will be found a most unique New York publication called The Doll's Dressmaker. This monthly magazine is a guide, companion and friend to little women who love their dolls, and will serve to keep many little fingers out of mischief, and help mothers in their search for something new to occupy their little girls' minds. The low subscription price of $1 a year places it within the reach of all, and no more appropriate Christmas gift to a young miss could be selected.

The Christmas number of the Cottage Hearth comes to us in a handsome holiday cover, and is filled with good stories and articles appropriate to the season. The opening story, by Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, is very bright and entertaining and in the author's best vein. Miss Deristhe L. Hoyt furnishes an Art Talk on Sandro Botticelli, one of the Italian Old Masters. Hezikiah Butterworth furnishes a Christmas story in verse, entitled The Old Stage Sleigh. One of the daintiest little Christmas stories of the season is that by Amy E. Blanchard, entitled The Gift that went a-begging. In the tragedy of Gallatin Valley we are given a glimpse of the lawlessness of the early days in the far West. Edmund Kirke completes his account of A Day with a Great Frenchman. The story of An Unconscious Hero, as told by M. A. C. Willard, is a splendid piece of character sketching. Sketches from Life, by J. Torrey Connor is followed by a brief article on Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, by John Oldham. The regular departments are crowded full of seasonable hints and suggestions. Two papers are devoted to an illustrated article on Furs; the Fashion in Skins and Manufacture. The prospectus for 1893, in addition to an unusually good line of stories and articles, announces that Eben E. Rexford, so well known to the readers of The Ladies' Home Journal, is to begin in the January number A Floral Department under the title, Talks about Flowers. (W. A. Wilde & Co., Boston. $1.50 a year.)

The Countess of Aberdeen, who keeps eighty servants in her home in Scotland, and is considered to be the one woman in Great Britain who has come closest to a solution of the servant-girl problem, will tell of her methods of treating her help, etc., in an article for The Ladies' Home Journal entitled "How I Keep My Servants."

The Earl of Dunraven gives his views on "International Yachting," in the December issue of the North American Review. The Review aims to consider every matter of human interest, and to present to its readers its latest and best thought thereon by those having expert knowledge of the subjects treated. In recent numbers may be found discussions of great value to all who are interested in gentlemanly sports.

New Subscribers sending five dollars for a subscription to the Review for 1893, before January 1st, will also receive the numbers for October, November and December, 1892, containing respectively, among other brilliant contributions, the great articles by Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Blaine and Mr. Balfour. $5.00 per annum. Single number 50 cents.

The December number of The Mother's Nursery Guide contains a valuable article on catarrhal affections, by Dr. G. C. Stout, which points out the necessity of attending to these troubles at their earliest appearance in infancy. A talk on milk, by Dr. Graham Lusk, shows in what manner the natural food is superior to artificial, and Dr. S. A. Kime writes on certain fallacies concerning the use of eyeglasses, many parents withholding from their children the aid which well-selected glasses give to defective eyes. The present number begins the ninth volume of this indispensable mother's guide. $2 a year. Sample copies sent free. Address, Babyhood Publishing Co., 5 Beekman street, New York.

In view of the fact that Sir Edwin Arnold will very likely be the next poet-laureate, one turns with interest to the most entertaining article in the December Cosmopolitan on a "Japanese Watering Place." The same number contains seven portraits of Tennyson and interesting views of his late home and surroundings. Thomas Gorman, Murat Halstead, Herrmann, Theodore Roosevelt and Maurice Thompson each contribute interesting articles. A feature of the number is twenty-four portraits of Parisian journalists, with sketches of their work. The Cosmopolitan will mark its first edition of 150,000 copies—that for January—by the offer of 1000 free scholarships. In return for introducing the Cosmopolitan into certain neighborhoods the Cosmopolitan offers to any young man or woman free tuition, board, lodging and laundry at Yale, Vassar, Harvard, or any of the leading colleges, schools of art, music medicine, or science. They send out a pamphlet on application telling how to obtain one of these free scholarships.

One of the most interesting phases of American life is found in the struggles for social supremacy which are constantly taking place in the ever changing conditions of society in the larger cities. Hjalmar Hjorh Boyesen, who spends his winters on Murray Hill and his summers in one of the most fashionable of the Long Island watering places, has written a story for The Cosmopolitan dealing with those phases of American life which is likely to be received with the widest interest. The powerful strokes of the nouveau riche have nowhere been so truly and so wittily presented as in the case of the Bulkeleys, whose fortunes are begun in the September Cosmopolitan. Side by side with those, who have so much money that the most serious concern of life becomes the question of how to spend, is a discussion of the fortunes of those with whom the question is how to provide the necessaries of life. This is done by Mr. Walker, editor of the Cosmopolitan, who chooses to view the Homestead difficulties as an object lesson in the Evolution of a Republican form of government. He considers dispassionately all the dangers to the state arising from the extensive colonies of workmen brought together under our present system of concentration and the growing imperfection in our system of distribution, and does not hesitate to say that reform should come from the hands of those who fix the laws regulating distribution. The story of the Chicago Convention bears retelling by the veteran Murat Halstead. The first of a series of three articles on Education in the South is from the pen of the President of the University of Tennessee. A delightful article on the Island of Jersey and Jersey Cows. An article on the Cotton District of the South and Miss Esther Singleton's chronicle of certain celebrated but uncanny British spectres embrace some of the more entertaining features of the September Cosmopolitan.

Items of Interest.

—More than thirty churches were represented at the council which dismissed the Rev. Perley R. Davis from, and installed the Rev. Andrew W. Archibald, D. D., over the Congregational church at Hyde Park last week.

—Mr. Fred J. Tople, a lineman in the employ of the Milton Electric Light company, fell from a pole the early part of the week striking on a stone wall and fracturing his skull, causing almost instant death.

—Brockton has 27 men in its regular police force, the heaviest man of the lot tips the beam at 272 pounds and the lightest at 175, the average weight being 215 pounds.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Tirrell, formerly of Weymouth but now of Hyde Park, celebrated their silver wedding last week.

—Hyde Park republicans have chosen a committee which has organized for another year with W. H. Powers at its head.

—The Norfolk County Gazette, Hyde Park, will hereafter be gotten out by the aid of a new ten-horse power steel boiler. As this is an increase of one hundred and fifty per cent. in the power of that office the people of Hyde Park are to be congratulated.

—Petitions are arriving at the state house in advance of the legislature; it does not meet until the fourth of January, but a number of petitions are already on file calling the attention of the next general court to the wants of individuals, corporations, towns and cities.

—The authorities of Stonington, Conn., have put up posters about the town giving notice that the law against profanity will be rigidly enforced hereafter.

—Five intelligent (?) voters of Gloucester admit that they voted for both Haile and Hamlin.

—The Norfolk county members of the Republican State Central committee for next year are Mr. J. Walter Bradlee of Milton and Col. George N. Carpenter of Brookline.

—Miss Adelaide I. Smith, a teacher in the Dedham public schools, has resigned her position, and has accepted the position of a visitor on the State board of lunacy and charity.

—Another of the sweet singers of the Hutchinson tribe, so celebrated a few years ago, has joined the choir above. Abby Hutchinson Patten died in New York last week.

—A little boy was added to the happy family of Mr. Carl G. Zerrahn a few days since.

—Alber Whitney, owner and manager of Whitney's hotel, Nahant, died at his home in that town last week, at the mature age of 83 years.

—Charles Buck of Milton has voted for governor for 73 consecutive years; he is 95 years old.

—The town of Dorchester had 12,000 inhabitants when it was annexed to Boston in 1870. The same territory now has 60,000 people in it.

—The school teachers of Everett complain of overwork, as there are five schools with an average of sixty scholars to a teacher.

—The owner of the Cosmopolitan, John B. Walker, recently sold a piece of Denver property for $2,500,000 for which he paid $1,500 less than ten years ago.

—Quincy had 359 more names on the voting list last Tuesday than were there for her municipal election a year ago.

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Postmaster-General Wanamaker sounded some good key notes in his report. A one-cent letter postage, a postal telegraph and a postal telephone are all good recommendations.

A $4,000,000 trust has been formed for the purpose of handling the barbed wire business. If the trust could only be induced to lay all barbed wire under ground it would be a good thing.

The death of Mr. Trickey, the author of the sensational report about Miss Borden that won for the Globe such unenviable notoriety, puts an end to all further investigation as to the means by which Mr. Trickey secured so much misinformation.

The death and burial of Jay Gould has hardly ruffled the surface of public interest. It is generally accepted as a relief to the country. A monopolist, a railroad wrecker, is gone. His money is all left for his family. Not a dollar in charitable bequests.

Among the surprises in the recent city elections the greatest was the election of Major Winn, the recent candidate of the Peoples' party for governor, to be mayor of Malden. Major Winn was the candidate of the independents and populists or Peoples' party men and is a prominent nationalist.

The Borden case is settled for the present. The grand jury has found cause for two indictments and Miss Lizzie Borden must stand a trial. The strain of the past weeks has been fearful upon all immediately connected with the affair and there can be no relief until the final verdict is announced. Meanwhile private opinions are being expressed and the weight of this public opinion seems to be largely in favor of the innocence of Miss Borden and it seems to be generally thought that no jury will ever convict her on the evidence so far published.

President Harrison's message upon the reassembling of the Fifty-second Congress is not a startling or a sensational document. It is, however, as all of his state papers have been, an able and statesmanlike paper, dignified and quiet in its tone. This being likely to be the last message the President will have occasion to send to congress, he naturally makes a general summing up of the condition of the country and its foreign relations at the close of his administration. He points with pride to the increase of business, the increase of exports, the increase of wealth and the general prosperity of the country. His recommendations are few and as the power is so soon to pass into the hands of another party, in this respect the President shows a wise regard for the will of the people and a becoming modesty. Taken all in all, it is a good document for Mr. Harrison to refer to with pride when he shall have become once more a private citizen.

Municipal Affairs.

The annual municipal elections of twenty-one of the thirty cities in the Commonwealth which were held on Tuesday, remind us that the revolving wheels of time will soon bring us to another March meeting when questions of consequence to the town will be discussed and acted upon.

The importance of these meetings can not be over-estimated. By them is the town honored or dishonored; by them is the value of property enhanced or depreciated. An under expenditure will give the town the reputation of being mean and parsimonious, its schools will retrograde and its roads and other public works become bad and people will shun the town as a place in which to live or invest their capital. On the other hand extravagant expenditures make high taxes and put burdens upon the people against which they rebel and become discontented.

The only way to avoid either extreme is for every careful and thinking man to make the town's business his own; to carefully consider from an unbiased point of view all of its wants and what is for the best good of the whole. Every man may not become a president of the United States or sit in the halls of Congress, but every man can and should take an interest in municipal matters and help work for the highest good of his town.

At the last town meeting a special committee was appointed to carefully study the wants and interests of the town and report at the next meeting. It is to be presumed that this committee is attending to its duty but this does not debar every other citizen from joining the committee of the whole and preparing himself to act and vote on all measures which may come up for action.

At the above named meeting there were sixty-four articles on which the people were called upon to express opinions. The town has no fewer interests now than it had then and many of the questions are liable to be as complicated.

We have nearly 2800 people who are eligible for the various offices in town. Some of them have been tried and found to be able and efficient; others have never been tried but are known to be men who in other matters think deeply and act wisely. A careful analysis of the qualifications of these men ought to enable us in Weymouth to have boards of officers that will be a credit to the men who elect them to office and a credit to the town. Let us begin early to consider all our wants and needs and get the best without regard to the wishes and scheming of cliques and rings.

Some Important Facts.

Yesterday was the last day under the law for treasurers of the several political organizations and committees in town to file with the town clerk a report of their receipts and expenditures during the recent campaign.

The penalty for the violation of the several provisions of the act, passed by the last legislature, is a fine not exceeding $1,000, and many of the organizations in all parties either handled less than $20, or have left themselves open for a fine.

The committee of the Republican club of Weymouth and East Braintree report that they received from sources specified in the report $838.25 and expended as per detailed statement $838.17; due the club $33.00; debts unpaid $56.16.

The treasurer of the Prohibition party reports as received by subscription $103.60, expended $103.60. The report is in detail both as to subscribers to the fund and expenditures.

The democrats of Ward 2 submit a detailed report of a subscription fund of $148.25 and sundry bills, all specified and paid $146.85; balance in hand, $1.40.

The Democratic Town committee report total receipts $222.08, $175 of which was from the State Central committee. Their expenditures were $222.08 and the account is balanced.

This, as will be seen, leaves a number of wards and organizations to be heard from, some of which, however, sent in returns which were not in accordance with the law and could not be accepted. Will the treasurers be fined or imprisoned or both as the law provides?

The Willard school building of Quincy is largest, outside of Boston, in the state. 915 scholars are registered as attendants.

Quincy elected Mayor Fairbanks on Tuesday for a third term by a plurality of 24.

DEATH OF A YOUNG BUSINESS MAN.

Mr. Edgar C. Porter of the Firm of Geo. E. Porter & Co. is Taken Away After a Short Illness.

Last week we announced in this paper that Mr. Edgar C. Porter was ill, threatened with typhoid fever. Today it becomes our sad duty to chronicle the fact of his death, which took place yesterday morning at about 2 o'clock. Hardly had many of his friends and business acquaintances learned that he was seriously ill than came the news of his demise, which was very sudden and unexpected and was a great shock to the community.

Edgar Cushing Porter was the son of George E. Porter and was born in Quincy, July 17, 1851, and was, therefore, 41 years and 5 months old at the time of his death. He received his education in the Weymouth public schools, leaving the High school at the end of three years.

Taken into business with his father in the manufacture of boots and shoes in January, 1872, he continued in the firm taking a large share of the responsibility and management until his last illness. He married Emma F. Sterling in November 1872. She died about the year 1881. He was married again about eight years ago to Laura Francis Sherman who survives him.

The deceased was a member of Delta Lodge, F. and A. M., and had held office in the lodge for more than ten years. He was chairman of the parish committee of the First Universalist society. He had served as trustee of the Weymouth Savings Bank and was a director of the South Shore Co-operative Bank; he had also served on committees of the Weymouth Improvement society since its foundation.

We can truly say that he was a public spirited young man and was heartily interested in furthering any and all public enterprises for the improvement of the village and town.

The town, in the death of Mr. Porter, has lost one of its prominent and promising young business men and a good citizen, his acquaintances a true friend, and his family a good and faithful husband, son and brother. They have the deepest sympathy of the community in their affliction.

The funeral will be held from the late residence of the deceased, Sunday at 2 o'clock, p. m.

The Latest About The Institute.

A grand exhibition night will be given in the vestry of Union church next Monday evening at 7.45, free to all. The special features will be a young ladies class from Dr. Sargent's gymnasium at Harvard under Mrs. Lucy Connell the physical director of the ladies' classes at the Institute. They will give a wand drill and an Indian club drill. And a company of young men from the Boston Christian Union gymnasium under Mr. Hird the physical director of the men's classes at the Institute. They will give parallel bar exercises and conduct a fencing tournament. There will also be attractive musical features and an address by Dr. Otis of Boston. The public is cordially invited to this exhibition.

The Institute opened last Monday. The rooms look very attractive; the new superintendent Emerson Hunt is in constant charge, and the reading and game-rooms are being well patronized by the young men.

The ladies' gymnasium class numbers about fifteen. Five more can be accommodated. Mrs. Connell is an exceedingly pleasant and enthusiastic teacher. She also desires to form a children's class of a dozen children between the ages of seven and fifteen. Ladies' afternoons, Monday and Thursday, children at 3.30, ladies at 4.30. One dollar a year for ladies.

The men's classes meet on Monday and Wednesday nights. The boys' class numbering about ten is at 7 o'clock; the men's class numbering about eighteen is at 8 o'clock. A class in fencing will also be shortly organized without additional expenses. Five more boys and three or four more men can be accommodated in the classes. Two dollars a year for Institute and gymnasium together.

Names for classes in elocution, mechanical drawing and literature should be sent immediately to Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Weymouth.

The Co-operative Concert Course.

The Boston management of the course have been obliged to rearrange the order of last week's outline to suit the convenience of the several artists. Miss Libby will appear in place of Mr. Rogers; Miss King with the Orchestral Club; Mr. Grilley and Miss Gertrude Lovering with the Apollo quartette. The list as corrected:

Dec. 21, Clark Comedy Co., Eva's Caprice;" Miss Annie Frank Libby, harpist; Banks Davidson, pianist.

Dec. 28, Rev. J. J. Lewis. Illustrated ture "Switzerland."

an. 11, Lyceum Ladies' Orchestra Club; Ella Boardman, balladist; Miss ...tia King, reader.

Jan. 25, Miss Lillian Carlismith with the Arena Concert Company.

Feb. 8, The Apollo Male Quartette; Charles T. Grilley, humorist; Miss Gertrude Lovering, reader.

Reserved seats for the course $1.00 and $1.50. Single admission 50 cents.

The Button on His Hat.

As time draws near for the organization of the next legislature, interest begins to centre on two important offices—those of speaker and sergeant-at-arms. Mr. Barrett is in the race for the first position and has the prestige of a large acquaintance and a two-year's satisfactory administration of the affairs pertaining to that office in his favor.

For the second place the present incumbent, Capt. "Jack" Adams, is on deck with a good following but will have a competitor in J. J. Mahoney, of Weymouth, who for ten years has been postmaster at the State House and is backed by an acquaintance made in that long term of service.

Without wishing any ill to Capt. Adams we should be pleased to see additional honors conferred upon our Weymouth citizen.

Mr. Harvey Heed
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I had a very bad spell of paralysis of the throat some time ago. My throat seemed closed and I **could not swallow**. The doctors said it was caused by heart failure, and gave medicine, which I took according to directions, but it did not seem to do me any good. My wife urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, telling me of Mr. Joseph C. Smith, who had been

At Death's Door

but was entirely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. After talking with Mr. Smith, I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I had taken two bottles I felt very much better. I have continued taking it, and am now feeling excellent. I thank God, and

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and my wife for my restoration to **perfect health.**" HARVEY HEED, Laceyville, O.

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Story of a Hero.

The Boston Journal of today will contain the following sequel to a war reminiscence:

[Every one of the many thousand readers of the Boston Journal war articles must recall the pathetic story told by Major Everson in a recent issue about the death of the boy soldier, Joseph Jordan. Though sick in the hospital when the battle of Gaine's Mill began, the youth rushed to the field of battle, catching up the first gun he could secure, and entering the ranks of the Twenty-second Mass., fell among the first killed on the line of that command.

The sequel of that story has now reached the Journal and is equally pathetic. It seems that the family of young Jordan never knew of his fate until they read Major Everson's article in the Journal's war files. They simply knew the boy was "missing," but had no knowledge whether he died, or if he died, how he fell. To them, therefore, this report was of inestimable value. The following letter from the nephew of the young hero relates the story in detail.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE BOSTON JOURNAL:

The story of Joseph Jordan, published among the war reminiscences in the Journal of Nov. 30, contained information which his parents, both of whom are now living in Quincy, Mass., have long searched for in vain. They were able to find simply that he had participated in one of the seven days' battles known as that of Gaine's Mill, but whether he was killed then or made a prisoner and died in a rebel prison they were always in doubt. The story has often been told in our family how happily he left home with the very paper in his possession which your correspondent was pleased to call "a young hero's death warrant." At that time he had just passed his sixteenth birthday.

There is in Memorial hall, Dedham, a tablet to his memory, showing that he was the first soldier from that town killed in the war.

This history of the family of Dedrick Jordan was a particularly sad one. During the first year of the war an elder son had enlisted in the First Mass. Cavalry, a few months before it was reported that Joseph was "missing," and his father soon after joined the Thirty-fifth Mass. Infantry leaving his wife and five small children at home, three of whom, two months after his departure, were stricken with that dread disease, diphtheria, and died in one short week.

At that time it was impossible to obtain a furlough for the father, although every effort was made by Col. Carruth. There were, with Joseph, in Company H of the Eighteenth Regiment, two cousins of his, Cyrus and John Tewksbury. They, however, were with their regiment, and did not take part in the battle of Gaines's Mill. While they were in the trenches before Petersburg a singular incident occurred, which shows the haps and mishaps of the war. The company's cook had prepared and distributed the rations when he found one extra ration left. He proposed to the boys to draw lots and Cyrus was the one to draw the prize. He was an exceedingly tall fellow, and as he stepped forward to receive it, a rebel sharpshooter succeeded in giving him a wound from which he died in a few days. His brother John, upon hearing of his brother's death, declared that he would enter no more battles. The officer to whom he told this knew that he had been in every battle in which the Eighteenth had participated so he was not surprised at the very next skirmish to see John at his post.

Another cousin of our hero also lost his life at the battle of Gaine's Mill. This was Sidney Copeland of Reading, Mass. He was a member of Company D, Twenty-second Mass. Regiment. His head was blown off by a shell. Inclosed is a picture of Joseph Jordan, representing him dressed in the uniform given by the French to the Eighteenth Mass. Regiment for being the best drilled regiment in the Army of the Potomac at that time.

JOSEPH JORDAN EATON.
Nephew of Joseph Jordan.

DEDHAM COURT AND REGISTRY MATTERS.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 1, 1892.—The following attachments have been filed in the Norfolk Registry in this town:

Thomas Forsythe of Braintree vs. John Fallon of Quincy, in the sum of $2000, pending an action of tort.

Arthur L. Hayden of Boston vs. Joseph W. Brown of South Braintree, in the sum of $250, pending an action of contract.

The following are the latest real estate conveyances as made in Weymouth and Braintree and recorded in the Norfolk Registry in this town:

Arthur W. Austin, by trustee, to Rachael A. Fish, Braintree, for $400.

Nathaniel H. Hunt to William H. Flye, Braintree, for $100.

Ernest W. Dennett and others to George H. Gerrior, Braintree, for $83.

Harriet S. Ferdon to Mary V. Shaw, Braintree, for $1.

William E. Field, by guardian, to George H. Gerrior, Braintree, for $41.

Isaac Shaw, heirs of, by collector, to Town of Weymouth, for $11.

Christian P. Anderson to Weymouth Seam-face Granite Company, Weymouth, for $1.

Frank M. Shaw, by collector, to Town of Weymouth, for $11.

John J. Barry to Weymouth Seam-face Granite Company, Weymouth, for $1.

David Bates, by administrator, to Forrest N. Adams, Weymouth, for 1344.

Forrest N. Adams to Ellen F. Bates, Weymouth, for $1.

Henry R. Smith to William A. Matthews, Braintree, for $1.

Emma A. Raymond, wife of John A. Raymond, to J. F. Lee, Weymouth, for $1.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 3, 1892.—The following are the latest real estate conveyances made in Weymouth and Braintree and recorded in the Norfolk Registry:

Ezekiel R. Waterman to Martin V. B. Shaw, Braintree, for $75.

Richard J. Fennelly to Sara A. Floyd, Weymouth for $1.

Charles Barker to Nathaniel Bangs, Braintree, for $1.

Louis A. Cook to Frederick M. Torrey, Weymouth, for $1.

Susan M. Sherman to the Old Colony Railroad Company, Braintree, for $2500.

Lorenzo L. Belcher to Albert Belcher, Weymouth, for $135.

Henry R. Hawkes to William H. Crockett, Weymouth, for $1.

Lucretia L. Crockett to Henry R. Hawkes, Weymouth, for $1.

Among the attachments filed in the Norfolk Registry for the week ending to-day were the following:

John D. Ormand, of Boston, vs. Charles O. Foster, of Braintree, and Wilson Tisdale, co-partners, doing business as Woodsum Express, pending an action of tort, in the sum of $5000.

John R. Graham, of Quincy, vs. the Weymouth Light and Power Company, a corporation doing business in Weymouth, pending an action of contract in the sum of $2000.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 7, 1892.—Judge White held a probate court session at Dedham to-day and transacted a large amount of business. Among the matters acted upon the only ones of interest to our readers were as follows:

The estate of Mary J. Sprague, late of Braintree, was appraised by Elisha Thayer, Noah Torrey and Rodolphus Porter at $3500 real and $301.90 personal estate.

A letter of administration was granted to Henry A. Nash of Weymouth, on the estate of Jane Smith, late of Weymouth, bond $3000.

Standish Lyceum.

Standish Lyceum No. 1281 met in Arcanum hall on Monday evening Nov. 28, 1892.

The question discussed: "Was the United States right in the affair with Chili?" J. Herman Loud spoke on the affirmative, William C. Mason on the negative. By a vote of 7 to 2 it was decided that the affirmative argument was the strongest.

Subject for next debate: "Has the Civil War benefited the South?" Next meeting to be held in Arcanum hall Monday, Dec. 12, 1892.

Officers Elected.

Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., elected the following officers, Tuesday evening. Commander, Charles W. Hastings; senior vice-commander, George L. Newton; junior vice commander, George W. Maynard; quartermaster, Elbridge Nash; surgeon, Dr. W. A. Drake; chaplain, Bradford Hawes; officer of day, David Dunbar; officer of guard, J. Quincy Spear.

MARGUERY'S LETTER.

BOSTON, Dec. 7, 1892.

This is the day of the short story. The volatile American has no time for the lengthy three-volume novel dear to the soul of our English cousins. He has no time to follow the hero or heroine through reams of woes or folios of interesting situations, so here the short story flourishes and many are the collections put forth. One of the most taking of the later publications of this kind is "David Alden's Daughter and Other Stories of Colonial Times" by Mrs. Jane G. Austin.

The writer frankly says that many of the stories are old ones, having been published in Harper's, the Atlantic, etc., and were written when "the author was in the first flush of delight and surprise at discovering the wealth of romance imbedded in that 'Forefather's Rock' which to many observers still appears a mere mass of granite, stern, cold and sad."

And what good use the author has made of the sterling ore dug from the granite: not without much labor, not only this little book but many others testify, for in them she has set down nothing as fact that has not been carefully determined to be such.

The first and longest story, "David Alden's Daughter and Major Bradford's Red Rokelay" is peculiarly interesting to dwellers on the South Shore, as it speaks of the hero of the tale riding on his way through Dorchester, Quincy and Weymouth to Hingham, and of the adventures he had on the road. Other notable stories are "William Bradford's Love Life," where a glittering romance is woven about a thread of truth; "Nazareth Pitcher," the scene laid near Merry Mount; "The Freight of the Schooner Dolphin," "The Love of John Mascarene," a story of Colonial Boston; "Barbara Standish" a story of the second wife of the doughty captain of Plymouth. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., have issued the book in very attractive form, with a picture of the "Mayflower" and Plymouth Harbor on the cover.

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It is a rare personality that combines the art of the writer with that of public speaker.

Some of our finest authors are lamentably deficient as elocutionists. Not so Mrs. Cora Stuart Wheeler, who comes before the public this season with a group of fireside talks or lectures, which are being very favorably received wherever heard. These cover a very extensive ground, such as "Curiosities of Legend and Superstition," "Authors Whom I Have Known," "Movarians as I have Lived Among them," "Cervantes," "My Neighbor's Nose and Chin," "Some Fallacies of Family Life," "A Defence of Jezebel," "A Twelfth Night Revel."

With such a diversified set of subjects, Mrs. Wheeler appeals to almost all tastes, and her ideas are always bright and often witty.

Mrs. Wheeler has been associated so long with our best literary people that she has been able to catch much that was new and unobserved by others, so her sketches of authors are full of novel ideas of such eminent writers as Howells, Julia Ward Howe, Holmes, Boyle O'Reilly and others.

Mrs. Wheeler has been for years a writer of short stories and poems as well as a correspondent of numbers of Southern and and Western journals. She is personally very attractive, having a graceful figure, and a poetic face lighted by a pair of large dark eyes. She is a thoroughly trained elocutionist, and thus attracts an audience.

Mrs. Wheeler has just finished a very successful course at Miss Chamberlayne's school on Commonwealth avenue, and will give a series of three o'clocks at Mrs. Micah Dyer's on Thursdays in December. She is also engaged to appear before various literary clubs.

She has quantities of testimonials from all our best people, literary and artistic, and her journalistic friends are wishing her a full share of success in her new career.

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Shall the big hat be relegated to innocuous desuetude, or continue to obstruct the view of the stage at the theatre? This is one of the burning questions of the hour. For so obnoxious has this species of head gear become that the management of the Tremont theatre have requested their lady patrons to remove their hats or to wear small bonnets when attending that theatre. The announcement is too recent for one to be able to judge the effect upon an audience but personally I doubt if the request will be complied with.

A large hat on a certain style of woman is very picturesque and vastly becoming and chosen as it often is for her "very best" of course must be worn on all state occasions, of which theatre going may be one. And being chosen shall it not be displayed in spite of the fact that some poor unfortunate is missing the performance because he has been unlucky enough to buy a seat behind that occupied by the hat? Go to; because you are too old, too homely, too squat in figure to sport a dashing head gear, shall youth and beauty give up such andornment? Then too, our theatre audiences are made up largely of suburbans, who, arranging themselves miles, perhaps, from the theatre, and after a long ride by car are not quite sure that their hair dressing is sufficiently ornate to allow of uncovering the head, and the big hat covers a multitude of sins and deficiencies of head toilette.

But I am not defending the large theatre hat; by no means. I have bobbed too often back and forth like an erratic metronome trying to catch a glimpse of the stage from behind a big hat, to advocate the fashion. I am only giving my idea on the subject of their removal. I do not believe the crusade will be successful, until fashion nods, then at her beck the obnoxious head gear will disappear for another decade at least.

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I happened to meet the dashing Rosina Vokes, the other day on the street, and was surprised to see how little she owes, when on the stage, to paint and powder. She is now playing a very successful engagement at the Tremont, and is just as fascinating as ever. The day I saw her I noticed that her strong point is her big eyes, and though her complexion has long since succumbed to the cosmetics she is forced to use, she seemed as bright and funny as she is behind footlights.

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In the last number of the Mahogany Tree, Miss Aldrich gives quite a bit of historical talk that is vastly interesting. It is called out by the play of The Scarlet Letter and notes the exact location of the various places mentioned in the book. In the short space of a page and a half we are carried back to the days when Boston was simply a big village, and its streets merely the "cowpaths" of which we so often hear. By the way, this little magazine not only keeps up to its standard but is making rapid strides forward.

MARGUERY.

Next Institute Course.

The next Institute concert will be on Friday evening, Dec. 16, by the famous New York English Ballad company. The artists in this company are Mme. Carrie Hun-King, the soprano; Mme. Jule de Ryther, contralto; Reiger, tenor; Carl Duffs baritone, and Herr Adolph Glose, solo pianist. This company has the reputation of giving the finest entertainments of its kind that New York can produce. It will be a musical treat.

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Reynold's Post 58 G. A. R.

At the annual meeting of Reynold's Post 58, G. A. R. held, in G. A. R. hall, East Weymouth, Tuesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C., Charles W. Hastings, S. V. C., George L. Newton; J. V. C., Geo. F. Maynard; Q., Elbridge Nash; S., Dr. W. A. Drake; chaplain, Bradford Hawes; O. D., David Dunbar; O. G., J. Quincy Spear.

Like many of the other posts in the state and nation, the coming year will be the twenty-fifth or silver year of this post.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED.

In Weymouth, December 1, William Delory, aged 57 years.

In Weymouth, December 8, Edgar C. Porter, aged 41 years, 4 months, 22 days.

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Advertised Letters.

Mrs. Manda Anderson, Mr. J. F. Buck, Mrs. Chas. M. Clark, Miss Daisy Lewis, Mr. G. E. Loud, postal, Mary S. Shaw, Mr. O. Baker, postal, Mrs. Churchill, postal, Herbert W. Hunt, Mrs. Mary Lewis, care E. H. Woods (2), Mrs. L. S. Mix, postal, Melvin Thompson.

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Dec. 8, 1892.

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TO all persons interested in the estate of

THOMAS SMITH,

late of Cohasset, in said county, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, George W. White, the administrator, de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the second and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County, on the third Wednesday of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said accountant is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

54 56 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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The Union National Bank of Weymouth.

The Shareholders of said Bank are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting for the choice of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before them, will be held at their banking house in Weymouth, on **TUESDAY, the 10th day of January,** next, at three o'clock P. M.

JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier.

WEYMOUTH, Dec. 8, 1892. 35 39

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RESOLUTIONS.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Union National Bank of Weymouth held Nov. 25, 1892, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in his infinite wisdom has removed from us by death Albert Humphrey, Esq., who for more than thirty-eight years has been a Director in this institution and for nearly seventeen years its President; therefore

Resolved, That we, the Directors, desire to publicly acknowledge our appreciation of his business sagacity, his conscientious and devoted services as an officer of this Bank, his unchanging interest in everything relating to it, and his zealous efforts to promote in every way its prosperity.

Resolved, That, as we feel a sense of personal loss, we also extend our sympathies to his sorrowing family and friends.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the Bank, be published in the Weymouth Gazette, and a copy be presented to the family of the deceased.

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NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other Persons interested in the estate of

JOHANNA HEALEY,

late of Weymouth, in said county deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Edward P. Paine of Weymouth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

54 56 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

First National Bank of South Weymouth.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of South Weymouth, for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other legal business, will be held at their Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, Jan. 10, 1893, at nine o'clock a. m.

J. H. STETSON, Cashier.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH, Dec. 7, 1892. 35 58

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Weymouth Locals.

—Frank E. Loud, Esq., who received a paralytic shock about a year ago, was stricken again Monday afternoon and is very seriously ill.

—The Parish Guild of Trinity church was very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Billings on Tuesday evening.

The Union literary circle will meet at the residence of Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Tuesday evening, Dec. 13; subject, "The Early Explorers."

—Arrived this week at A. J. Richards & Sons: Schooner American Team from New York with 600 tons of coal; at W. F. Sanborn's, Schooner Chromo from Bangor with 110,000 feet of lumber; at J. B. Rhines & Co., Schooner Hyena from Bangor with 120,000 feet of lumber.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hunt will entertain the euchre club this evening at their residence on Front street.

—W. F. Sanborn has had the electric lights put in his lumber office.

—At the regular monthly meeting of the South Shore Co-operative Bank held at the banking rooms Monday evening, $1,200 was sold at a premium of five cents per share.

—James Hunt is leader of the orchestra at the Sunday evening rehearsals of the Hingham Choral society.

—Henry L. Thayer is building a 21-foot barge and it will be the largest one in the vicinity when finished, as well as one of the finest.

—The old safe weighing three tons, was removed from the old savings bank building and carried to Boston Saturday by George Fogg.

—John F. Gearan of Fitchburg was in town this week, visiting his numerous friends.

—Mr. Frederick Phinney of Plymouth was in town this week on a visit to A. M. Bachelder.

—A large number of masons from the village attended the visitation at Pentalpha R. A. chapter at East Weymouth Tuesday evening.

—Mr. H. L. Emerson, who has become well and favorably known as clerk at A. M. Batchelder's drug store will leave for Jacksonville, Fla., tomorrow. He has accepted a position in a large drug store in that city. Although we are sorry to lose a good citizen, we wish him all possible success in his new home in the Sunny South.

—Mr. Joshua Binney and daughter will leave next week for Southern California where they will make their home.

—The soprano for the Union church quartette, to succeed Miss Dow, has not yet been chosen. Last Sunday, Miss Sara Appell of Boston sang. She is a pupil of the famous teacher, Mr. Adams, and has a sweet and mellow voice. Next Sunday, Miss Mae Sheppard of Boston will sing. Miss Sheppard sang for several years at the church of the Unity, Worcester, but recently has been giving most of her time to concert work.

—Remember the grand exhibition night of the Institute at the vestry of Union church next Monday night. Ladies' gymnastic drills, men's exercises with parallel bars, etc. The public invited.

—A large number from this village attended the 15th annual benefit of Boston lodge of Elks at the Boston theatre yesterday.

—A fur robe was stolen from the team of Henry Lovell while it was standing in front of A. P. Worthen's office Tuesday evening.

—The Weymouth Savings bank has declared a regular dividend of 2 per cent. for six months, and an extra dividend of 1 1-2 per cent., both payable the 1rst Monday in January.

—A gentleman walked into a certain store in this village and made the startling statement that four months after Cleveland's inauguration, every mill in the country would be shut down. He offered to bet on it. A stalwart democrat anxious to defend his party's policy took the bet, when the first gentleman quietly observed that four months from March 4th would be the Fourth of July. The bet was paid.

—The Binney estate which was knocked off at auction on the 27th to Mr. William K. Baker for $4,650 has been deeded to Mrs. Betsy B. Hobart and Mrs. Ella C. Richards. Thus the estate still remains in the family, Mrs. Hobart being a daughter of the late Mr. Silas Binney and Mrs. Richards a granddaughter.

—The engagement of Miss Alice Linton, daughter of Mr. E. F. Linton, and Mr. Thomas Stockholm, of the Windsor hotel, New York city, is announced.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Improvement association will meet at Mrs. Irving Jordans', East Braintree, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 14 at 2.30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

—Rt. Rev. Phillips Brooks, D. D., Bishop of Mass., has changed the date of his visitation to Trinity church, Weymouth, from Dec. 21 to Thursday evening, Jan, 19.

—Miss Agnes Hyde has had her play secured by copyright at Washington under the title, "Wanted, A Theatre Company or Arabella's Infatuation." No one can produce the play or any part of it without her consent.

—The euchre club was very delightfully entertained by Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Tinkham last Friday evening. The gentlemen's prize was captured by Mr. Louis W. Nash and the ladies' prize by Mrs. Wendell B. Clapp. The gentlemen's guest prize was won by Mr. William West, the ladies' by Miss Anne B. Hunt.

—John M. Walsh has moved into his new store in the building just erected by Geo. H. Bicknell.

—The funeral of the late Albert M. Arnold took place from his late residence on Torrey's lane Saturday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. W. L. Smith officiated. The interment was at village cemetery.

—Mrs. Susan Riley died Wednesday after a long illness, aged 56 years. The funeral took place this morning from the Church of the Sacred Heart. The interment was at Catholic cemetery.

—We could hardly recognize the genial countenance of the Vice-Commodore of the Monatiquot Yacht Club in the illustration of the New York World of yesterday. The "E. F. Linton" printed beneath settled it however. We suggest that the Vice-Commodore furnish the World with a photograph for future use. The cut represented the Brooklyn commission on uniting New York and Brooklyn in one city—of which Mr. Linton is a member—seated on the platform at a large mass meeting of Brooklyn citizens.

WHERE TO BUY.

We, at this time, when the old year is drawing to a close and the new one is nigh, are glad to speak good words for those who have been patrons of our advertising space. The following comments and bits of praise are unsolicited and we can cheerfully commend these firms who are regular advertisers with us, for honesty in dealing and for being reliable houses that carry first-class goods. We cordially ask our readers to give them what trade they can and thus help our *home trade*.

What E. W. Hunt has not learned about catering to the wants of the public could be put in a very small book and have some blank pages left. Canned goods are his specialty, but not the whole stock. Go to Hunt's if you want a good dinner.

One of the busiest places in the village from early morning to "shutting up time" is that of J. G. Worster & Co. and from a barrell of flour to an ounce of spice the stock is all right every time and can not be excelled for quality.

For men, for ladies, for girls or for boys the store of Edward H. Frary affords attractions when they are in search of anything in the line of silverware, or stationery. He offers bargains in watches.

There are places which are old and yet ever new; among such may be classed the extensive wood, coal, hay and grain establishment of A. J. Richards & Sons. This establishment is one of the oldest in the country, but the young blood in it keeps up a circulation of the above named goods.

Alden, the photographer, is open for the winter in Nye's block and his works of art appeal to the finest and most æsthetic tastes. Sit before him and be duplicated for the pleasure of your friends.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons are alike at home in handling ice in the summer or coal and wood in the winter. They never get short of either, and always have the best quality.

A. K. Bates is always prepared to alter or repair anything in the stove, hollow or tin-ware line, or to furnish new. He knows what the people want and keeps it.

A person who will get burned out and suffer a total loss when he can find A. S. Jordan & Co. does an injustice to himself and family. Insurance is a good investment.

Bryant & Co. are just over the line in East Braintree, but it is not far to go when you are looking for groceries or furniture. You do not have to bring the goods back. They deliver. Try them.

B. F. Paine is somewhat a stranger to many people in the place, but he is here with a good stock of boots, shoes, hats, caps and gentlemen's furnishing goods.

To mention Baker's Hardware store is to speak of the most familiar place in town and people would not go there year after year if they did not find what they wanted and were not treated well.

The firm name, C. A. Rice & Co., is synonymous with almost everything the ladies want in dress goods or trimmings and long experience in catering to the wants of the public has made the head of the establishment proficient in the art.

The people who have not bought clocks, watches, jewelry etc. of Granville Thompson are few and the person who has not been treated well is yet to be found. He is always reliable.

C. G. Easterbrook is in front of the Baptist church and makes a specialty of Health Food, but carries in addition, a most desirable line of fruits, confectionery and notions.

F. A. Sulis is on the hill. When you get there if it is evening you find a strong light but there is no department in his extensive establishment that will not bear the strongest light. The ad. in another place tells of some of the things to be found there. This is our emporium.

East Braintree.

—Messrs Thomas Fitzgerald, John Kelley, George Fogg and Edward Billings have bought a lot of woodland comprising 52 acres on Liberty street for $3600. This is a part of the N. L. White estate. It is excellent woodland, some of the trees being 12 feet in circumference. They intend putting up a sawmill on the spot to saw trees into box boards, most of the wood being pine and oak. This is quite an undertaking and we wish them success.

—Mrs. C. C. Webster, wife of Deacon Webster, of Allen street, East Braintree, died last Friday morning, Dec. 2, after a long and lingering illness. Mrs. Webster was a lady of fine Christian character and was loved by a large circle of friends. Her two sisters, Mrs. Powers of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Carter of Nebraska were with her for several weeks preceeding her death. The services were held on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Oliver Huckel of Union church officiated and paid a warm tribute to the memory of Mrs. Webster. A ladies' trio, consisting of Mrs. Richard Loyd Hunt, Miss Annie B. Hunt and Miss Carrie A. Blanchard, rendered music. On Monday, Mr. Webster departed with the body for interment at the old family burying ground at Fryeburg, Me.

—Miss Helen R. F. Allen, formerly of this village but now of Braintree, and who has been abroad for a year studying music in Florence, Italy and other places in company with Mrs. Furnald who is well-known as a concert singer in Boston, is expected to arrive in New York on the 11th. Mrs. Allen will meet her daughter upon landing and accompany her home to Braintree.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Ida E. Sheppard of this place to Mr. B. H. Davidson of Boston. Mr. Davidson is junior partner in the firm of Timothy Renick & Co., Boston, wholesale dealers in cotton.

Nash's Corner.

—There are few places in town where one can go and supply as many of their wants as at W. G. Nash's. A long experience as caterer to the public has enabled him to anticipate the wants of the people and what they want is always on hand.

—Abbott Lovell is away on a business trip at present.

—Mrs. Clinton Nash has been very sick the past week.

—A series of meetings have been held at the Mission chapel this week conducted by Rev. R H. Shurtliff of Canaan, Me. Considerable religious interest has been awakened with good results.

—Sunday night Mrs. Frank Hilton died at her home on West street after a brief illness.

—Several of Samuel Ross's children are sick with scarlet fever.

—The boys of Nash's Corner enjoyed skating several days during the past week.

—Wednesday morning the carriage of William Orcutt broke down in front of L. V. Tirrell's stirng manufactory, while Mr. Orcutt was bringing several workmen to the shops at Nash's Corner. No serious damage was done however.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer Medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.

Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle at A. M Bachelder's Drug Store.

East Weymouth Briefs.

—Dr. F. F. Darling will vacate the rooms he now occupies and has taken rooms in the block of W. T. Rice, which will be steam heated and lighted with electricity. Dr. Darling expects to occupy the new apartments about the 1st of January.

—Mr. G. M. Hoyt has bought out the drug business of Mr. E. G. Cutter and leased the store recently occupied by him, for a term of years. The store will be re-modelled and re-fitted up and Mr. Hoyt will move into it about the 1st of February.

—The clam chowder supper at the Congregational church last Friday night was a most successful affair. About one hundred people sat down to the steaming viands and the supper was followed by a musical and literary entertainment.

—The average attendance for November of grade IX in the Franklin school was 98 34-100 per cent.

—The evening school in the Franklin building has had a remarkably steady attendance since it began. Mr. Davis, who has been the principal, has closed his connection with it and is teaching in the Hancock school in Brockton, and at the same time, his assistant, Mr. Easterbrook, goes to Atkinson, N. H. They are succeeded by Mr. McDoagal and Mr. Carey, both new additions to Weymouth's corps of teachers.

—Miss Susie B. Litchfield will have a parlor sale of works of art at her home on Station street, Saturday night.

—Whitman's pond is completely covered with ice which is much earlier than the same thing has occurred for several years.

—Mr G. M. Hoyt has moved into his new house on the heights.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrington are on a combined pleasure and business trip to New York, and an extensive line of holiday goods may be looked forward to, as the result of it.

—The Ladies' Cemetery circle will meet with Mrs. R. V. Merchant, Thursday afternoon, the 15th, if pleasant. If stormy, the meeting will be held on Friday. Active preparations are being made for the annual fair which will be held in February as usual.

—Each of the employes of Totman, the baker, was the recipient of a fine Turkey, Thanksgiving, the same being a present from their employer.

—Temperance Hall was well filled Monday night at the regular meeting of the Reform Club, and the no-license campaign for the coming March meeting is fairly opened.

—The engagement of L. Winthrop Bates and Miss Jennie W. Bice is announced this week.

—The Pansy Circle of King's Daughters is preparing for a sale and entertainment in the M. E. church, Christmas week.

—The Pansy club will give the farewell Leap Year party in Masonic hall, Friday evening, Dec. 30.

—F. B. Reed is outdoing his display of past years in the goods he is now opening for the holidays.

—A large number was in attendance at the supper and sociable of the Ladies' Social circle connected with the M. E. church, Wednesday evening.

—The antiquarian supper and entertainment at the Unitarian church last Friday night was a success. People ate the food the fathers did eat and sang the songs the fathers did sing.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. R. B. Smith next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The choir of the church of the Immaculate Conception is rehearsing special music for Christmas.

—Next Tuesday evening, under the auspicies of James L. Bates Camp, S. of V., Geo. W. Penniman delivers his lecture, "The Heart of the Rockies," in Odd Fellows Opera house. Tickets for sale at the Weymouth Clothing store.

WHERE TO BUY.

Appreciating the patronage received from our advertisers the Gazette this week takes occasion to mention many of the places where one can go to make purchases and be sure to find good lines of goods and courteous treatment. These firms are all regular advertisers in the Gazette, and we recommend them as being honest and reliable. See their ads.

—The growing business of John A. Connell's requires another hand behind the counter.

Mrs. Lewis, who succeeds Miss Castner in the millinery business brings to the old stand an ability which the people will appreciate.

People who stop by simply reading the ad. of E. G. Bates will come far short of knowing all the attractions he has for purchasers of foreign or domestic goods.

The bicycle season is of the past and W. F. Sylvester is turning his attention to skates and other sporting articles.

"A man may be well warmed from without but if he is not well fed he is still cold," so says Charles W. Rice and he is catering to meet the wants of his many patrons.

From now until the new year begins the Ford Furniture Co. are quite sure that theirs will be the place for people to go who are looking for the useful or ornamental in the household line.

Harmony is the basis of all happiness and people who are a little out of tune can drop in at Albert Wilder's, look at the the pianos, organs, other instruments and music, and find a key note to their happiness.

A. Denbroeder's is the place where people congregate to get custom or ready made garments, neck-wear, etc.

It is a "cold day" when the Weymouth Clothing store is unable to supply anything a man or boy may want either as an under or outer garment.

When people are in doubt about what to eat they only have to drop in at Fred N. Bates' and they are sure to see something which is tempting.

Miss Maggie J. Fogarty is at the front with a fine display of holiday millinery and notions.

—For a fine selection of seasonable dry goods, either home or foreign made, there are few places outside of the large cities which can show better taste than is exhibited at Charles Harrington's.

—M. K. Crehan is alike at home in supplying housekeeping and builders' hardware or in fitting up a house with modern heating, lighting and sanitary appliances.

Special Mention.

—The holiday and party season is with us and the same is true of Totman; which means if you are getting up a quiet little party for a few friends or a grand banquet, you can make no mistake in leaving your order with him.

—Miss Susie B. Litchfield will hold a sale of hand-painted celluloid holiday goods, Saturday evening, Dec. 10, at her residence, 19 Station street, East Weymouth. These goods include frames, trays for combs, brushes, mirrors, hairpins, etc., broom cases, handkerchief cases, calendars, blotters and other articles.

—Styles come and go as the seasons change, and appetites change with the seasons. Realizing this Totman is always striving for the best; and bread, pies, cake or crackers obtained from his shop or wagons are sure to be all right.

New Home Sewing Machine 160 Tremont Street, Boston. Agents wanted. G R 20 1y

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

South Weymouth Items.

—Rev. W. H. Bolster, of Dorchester, will deliver a lecture on "True Manhood" next Tuesday evening in the Bromfield street Methodist church. Tickets are free and can be had, by anyone who desires to go, by applying to Oscar Madan.

—J. L. Curtis, P. S., of Wildey Lodge was presented by the members with a sum of about $70.

—Rev. Paris T. Farwell, of Stockbridge, will preach at the Union church next Sunday, morning and evening.

—Wildey Lodge will initiate a member into the order next Monday night. The meeting for the nomination of officers will occur the same evening.

—The next entertainment in the Co-operative Course will be given next Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, by The Couthoui Entertainment Company. This company comprises Mrs. Jessie Couthoui-Shandrew, unequalled by any reader in this country; Miss Jenny Corea, soprano of the Boston Ideals; C. L. Staats, clarinet, and Miss Jessie Downer, pianist and accompanist. This will probably be one of the best entertainments in the course.

—The people of this village were treated to a very interesting lecture on "Our Boys in Blue," last Tuesday evening by George W. Penniman in Fogg's Opera House under the auspices of James L. Bates Camp, S. of V. The lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views showing the pleasant and the more unpleasant paths through which "our boys" were led. The lecture dealt with the causes and showed the results of the Civil War and was listened to with deep interest. Mr. Penniman was assisted by the Hayden quartette of East Weymouth, LaForest Lincoln, first tenor; R. F. Raymond, second tenor; M. P. Carey, first bass and C. Will Bailey, who sang several selections in connection with some of the views. Besides the war scenes thrown upon the canvass were portraits of Gen. James L. Bates for whom the camp was named, also the commander of Post 58, G. A. R., the commander of the camp and that of Harry W. Loud.

—May Richards, one of the hired girls at Mrs. Minot Tirrell's, was quite badly burned the first part of the week. While near the stove her dress caught fire, but it was soon extinguished by inmates of the house.

—The next few weeks will be large purchasing times to most people, either for holiday goods or general winter supplies. Those who are looking for clothing, furnishing goods, hats and caps, boots and shoes can make no mistake in looking over the stock of Charles T. Foster before investing their money. If you are seeking anything in the millinery or trimming line you had better spend a little season looking at the stock of Misses Derby and Thayer. They know just what the people want. C. H. Tinkham is not paying much attention just at present to bicycles, but when it comes to watches, clocks, jewelry and table ware he occupies the front rank, If you want to make a good substantial present to a friend, a ton of coal or a barrel of flour from Alvin Hollis will cheer his heart. The above are all regular advertisers in the Gazette and we are glad to recommend them and their wares. They are reliable firms and keep only first-class goods.

—Have you secured your tickets for the Norfolk Cycle club minstrel entertainment to be held in Fogg's Opera house, Dec. 20? Only about ten days remain and out of 596 reserved seats only about 100 tickets remain. This will be one of the best entertainments of the season and the seating capacity of the hall will be taxed to its utmost. There will be thirty members in the circle. J. Edward Lakeman, a person who is thoroughly versed in this class of entertainment and who has won much fame as a composer, has been engaged as musical instructor and director. The club will be assisted by Giles' Orchestra, of Abington. Every seat in the hall is a good one and those who desire to go and have not secured their tickets had better do so at once, as the few left will not last long.

—The Sunshine Circle of King's Daughters held a very successful fair in the vestry of the Old South church, last Tuesday evening. Useful and fancy articles, ice cream and home-made candy were for sale during the evening. The entertainment consisted of recitations and solos by the young people and also a piano duet by Misses Dyer and Packard, solos by Misses Mary and Addie Dyer and Miss Susie Loud. They were also assisted by a quartette consisting of Misses Grace Hunt, Edith Parker, and John F. and Samuel A. Vining. The proceeds will go to the circle to assist in carrying out their work.

—C. U. Tirrell, of Pond street, was the pianist at the play in Fogg's Opera House.

Weymouth Heights.

—A regular meeting of the Improvement society was held in the church chapel on Monday evening. A full and final detailed report, of the doings of the executive committee connected with the recent repairing of the church, was presented and accepted. The report was most gratifying, showing a surplus in the hands of the committee of over forty dollars.

The W. C. T. U. held a regular meeting with Mrs. Lizzie Newcomb on Wednesday afternoon.

—Did you ever attend an infant party, a party made up of cunning, dear, little babies? No? Well then perhaps you would like to know about one which happened right here in this little village. Well then, it so happened that on Friday last one of our young ladies, Miss Florence Bicknell Nash, daughter of Mrs. Etta and Mr. Charles Nash, attained her first birthday. So, in honor of the occasion, her papa and mamma invited a few of her young friends to come, with their mammas, and spend the afternoon. The ones that made up the bright party were Miss Barbara Reis, Master Alton Hawkes, and Master Alfred Sladen, and they had as merry a play together as ever babies had, rollicking and romping in true baby fashion. Of course Miss Nash was the heroine, as well as hostess, of the quartette, and she fully bore out her reputation of being the "best baby I ever saw." Among the many pretty birthday gifts presented to her were two very unique musical toys, a musical doll and a shaggy skinned musical (?) dog. A much admired and tasty gift was that of a gold necklace from her papa. For physical refreshment, the little ones were given fancy crackers in the later part of the afternoon, while their mammas and other invited guests, ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The occasion was indeed a most happy one and will not soon be forgotten, even by the young folks. A bountiful Thanksgiving repast was served to the older guests in the evening.

—A committee of the teachers of the Sunday-school has arranged a very pretty and appropriate exercise for Christmas night and it is hoped that any who can assist them by the preparation of a few evergreen wreaths will offer their services to Miss C. Evelyn Blanchard.

—Master Charles Newell, son of Dr. Newell of Derry, N. H., spent Sunday with relatives here.

—Mrs. Fannie Preston entertained a company of friends on Tuesday evening at her home on King Oak hill. The party spent a short time in informal social intercourse after which the invited guests were requested to divide their attention between whist and bagatelle. Both games called forth the best efforts of those engaged and and were not decided until the last play had been made. The local stars came to the front in both instances. Mr. Harry Nash carried off the first prize in the whist contest and Miss Minnie Hunt defeated all comers in the bagatelle tourney. Late in the evening a repast of cake and cream was served.

Stopped Work.

Work in the street railway in North Weymouth has been temporarily suspended for lack of materials.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Work on the electric road has been suspended for the season. The work will be resumed some time in the spring, the first of April as reported. A reason given for the delay is, that the rails are being laid by contract, and that the contractor does not find it to his advantage to continue operations while the ground is frozen, as under such a condition progress is necessarily slow. The track now extends from Quincy bridge to the corner of Sea and Bridge streets.

—George Bellows narrowly escaped losing a couple of fingers while at work on a moulding machine in the shoe shop this week. Two of his fingers were drawn in between the rollers, but by a sharp pull he managed to extract them, leaving the finger nails embedded in the piece of leather.

—A handsome monument, to be placed over the grave of the late Arthur Newton, has arrived.

—F. A. Lewis has been appointed an aid on the staff of the commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.

—The Independent Club hold a social dance in Engine Hall, this evening.

—"The Chaperon," will be given Friday evening Dec. 16, in the vestry of the Universalist church. This is the play that the young ladies of the Universalist society have given several times so successfully.

—F. A. Newell has replenished the larder of his family by sending home to them a nice young deer that fell a victim to Mr. Newell's rifle while he was in the woods of Maine.

—The account of the funeral of the late William B. Andrews, of Dorchester, in some of the Boston dailies stated incorrectly that the deceased was to be buried at South Weymouth. His remains were brought Wednesday, to North Weymouth, for interment. The young man's mother is the sister of Cyrus and Lydia Blanchard, and is a native of this village. The deceased had been employed by the American Express Co., and it was his peculiar request that his body be taken to its last resting place in one of the company's express wagons and that it be driven by a specified driver. He also particularly desired that the casket should not be black or dark in color. The funeral was held Tuesday, his wishes being complied with in every detail. Accordingly was witnessed the unusual sight of a funeral procession headed by an empty hearse, and an express team dressed with black, and with white ribbons, and flowers, bearing a mouse-colored casket. Mr. Andrews will be remembered by the summer residents of Rose Cliff as having been a visitor at that resort the past season.

—The Century Club meets this evening.

—For several years the pupils of the Athens school have looked forward to the time when the school should possess a piano of its own. Some eight years ago the scholars raised the sum necessary to purchase an organ, and this instrument has done duty up to the present time. But the growing desire for a piano caused the pupils who came after, to make great exertions in order to procure one. By a series of entertainments, given at long intervals from one another, and prepared by the pupils themselves with the co-operation of their teachers, the money has at length been earned. The piano arrived last Friday. It will be a valuable acquisition to the school, and the children and teachers who have worked for it are to be commended for the undertaking they have accomplished.

—Frank Whiting's youngest child fell upon some glass on the floor and cut its face so severely, one day this week, that the doctor was obliged to take six stitches to sew up the wound.

—It is quite generally known that the members of the Congregational society contemplate the making of extensive alterations in their house of worship when they shall have obtained a sufficient amount of funds. A beginning in the raising of the money was made some time ago, and at present the movement is making good progress under the management of various committees. It was for the furtherance of this project that many entertainments have been given in the past year by the society. Just what changes will be made have not been fully decided upon, but the church will be raised so as to make the vestry higher posted, a cook room added on to the vestry, and a new floor laid in the latter room. There is also talk of placing the choir seats at one side of the pulpit and of moving the organ to the end of the church opposite to the one it now occupies. Such a remodelling of the structure will make a much more commodious and modern arrangement.

—The third entertainment in the lecture course will be given in the Universalist church next Tuesday evening. Professor Charles Bickford and Miss Ella Russell of Boston will give humorous and dramatic sketches. These well known elocutionists should draw a full house.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.; and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school after the morning service. Subject of the sermon in the morning, "Inducements to Confirmation," and in the evening, "The Gifts of the Holy Spirit in Confirmation."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; preaching service at 7. p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.; Vespers 4.00 p.m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. E. E. Phillips, pastor. Sunday-school at 12.45 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. J. H. McDonald, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Epworth League 6.00 p. m.; evening service, 7.00 p. m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; evening service 6.30 p. m. Strangers, new-comers, all who have no church are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all, a part for all. A welcome for all.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 9.00 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., public worship with an address on "Missionary and Educational Work" by Mr. T. Murai of Japan, followed by Sunday-school; 2 p. m., adjourned church meeting; 6.15 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E.; 7 p. m., evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p. m.; Social service at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, UNIVERSALIST (South Weymouth)—Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Preaching service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Young People's meeting at 7. All are cordially welcome.

TEMPERANCE HALL, (East Weymouth)—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (North Weymouth).—Rev. Allan B. Hudson, pastor. Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school with pastor's Bible class at 10.30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m. Young People's service at 6 p. m., and union evangelistic service, at which all christians are invited to attend and participate, at 7 p. m.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. Oliver Huckel, pastor. Next Sunday, service with sermon at 10.30, subject, "Jewish Home-Life at the Time of the Coming of Christ;" Evening services at 7.30; p. m. with sermon by Rev. A. H. Wheelock of Hingham. Sunday-school at noon. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. A cordial welcome to these services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth.)—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday, "The World Moves." Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Rev. H. A. Philbrook will preach next Sunday; Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7.00 p. m.

IT CURES! IT CURES!!

DANA'S SARSAPARILLA.

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Weymouth Centre.

—The Centre gunners had good luck at Slate island last week, among other game, getting quite a number of geese. Mr. Nathan W. Bates got three at one shot, but later on lost a number and met with a slight accident by a premature explosion of his gun.

—The first skating of the season has been enjoyed by the children here the past week, but the ice is hardly safe yet on deep ponds.

—Mrs. Thomas Burgoyne is slowly recovering from a quite protracted illness.

—G. Wesley Howard has a date tree growing in his house which is something of a rarity in this part of the country. It measures about seven inches in height and resembles the lily in shape.

—Chester Tirrell has accepted a position in Brockton.

—Frank T. Litchfield has been presented with an elegant French clock as a wedding gift from the employes in the stitching department of Edwin Clapp's factory.

—Everett Bates had a narrow escape from what might have been a serious catastrophe last Tuesday night. With a lighted lamp in his hand he fell down a flight of stairs but fortunately escaped with a slight skaking up.

District Court.

Hon. James Humphrey, Justice.

Alphonse Grande was tried for an assault on Emelo Ventre, at East Weymouth, with a pistol. The testimony was that Ventre and his brother were walking along the street when they passed Grande and two companions. After they passed Grande, Ventre's brother coughed. This incensed Grande and he called out to them some offensive epithet. The Ventres returned and after some words Grande drew a pistol. As he did so Emelo Ventre knocked him down. Grande jumped up and fired three shots from the revolver, one of which took effect in Emelo Ventre's leg. They took the pistol away from Grande and reported the affair to Officer Peare who afterward arrested Grande. The case was continued until next Wednesday.

George Fisher, 14 years old, of North Weymouth, was sent to the Norfolk truancy school.

Mrs. Joseph Osgood Dead.

A few weeks ago nearly the whole of Eastern Massachusetts joined in celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of Rev. Joseph Osgood over his church and society at Cohasset. The same host of friends would, next month, have congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Osgood on the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage; but this morning just as the light gilded the east she was taken to the Golden City above.

Christmas Story by Miss Hyde.

We take pleasure in announcing a Christmas story by Miss Hyde of Weymouth. The title will be "Bobbie's Journey to Gambell & Smith's. A story of Christmas Eve."

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Alden, *Mrs.* G. R., *ed.* The Pansy. Vol. 10. *Juv.* 32.34.
Ball, R. S. In starry realms. 731.100
"Sketches of specially interesting matters relating to the different heavenly bodies."
Barker, G. F. Physics, advanced course. [1892.] 732.80
Barr, A. E. The Hallam succession. 414.50
† Crosby, W. O. Geological collections. Dynamical geology and petrography. 731.92
This guide to the geological collections of the Museum of the Boston Society of Natural History will make most interesting a visit to the museum.
Dougall, L. Beggars all. 432.124
Easy entertainments for young people. 133.59
Contents.—Court of the year.—A carnival of sports.—The Swiggles family.—Doctor Cure-All.—The courting of Mother Goose.—Vice Versa.—My country.
Farragut, David. Mahan, A. T. Admiral Farragut. (Great Commanders.) 916.30
"One of the best naval biographies that we know of."—*Nation.*
Gordy, W. F. *and* Twitchell, W. I. A pathfinder in American history. Part I. 613.89
Full of helpful suggestions for teachers.
Keary, C. F. Norway and the Norwegians. *Map.* 226.58
Little one's annual. Vol. 12. *Juv.* 32.24.
Lummis, C. F. Some strange corners of our country; the wonderland of the Southwest. *Illust.* 230.101
Descriptions of the Canons, Pueblo Indians, Cliff dwellers, the greatest natural bridge, etc.
Meriwether, Lee. Afloat and ashore on the Mediterranean. *Illust.* 226.53
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THE WEEK IN BOSTON.

Facts About the License Vote and Other Politics.—Growth of Hotels at the Hub.

It now appears that the coming vote of Boston on license will be cast in its favor. The little war that has been going on for some time between the moguls of the liquor traffic and those who preside over the corner groggeries has come to an end, and nothing further will be heard of it. There was an impression among the smaller dealers that they were going to be pinched by the police commissioners, and in order to break their power a scheme was set on foot to do away with licenses entirely for a year. It is fortunate for the good name of the city that this program was changed. Boston cannot afford to go through another such experience as she had in 1869, when prohibition was in full blast. Never in her entire history was there such profligacy in rum drinking. Saturday nights especially it seemed as if the whole community was out with full stocks of red and green paint. After coloring had run out they curled themselves up in doorways along the public thoroughfares to sleep off the effects of their over-indulgences. When the good people came out the next morning to attend divine services, they were shocked at these pictures of debauchery, and next year the saloons were reopened as a reformatory measure. No, Boston cannot afford, with all her other sins, to go back to the days of prohibition.

Mr. William F. Murray is one of Boston's bright journalists who has received nomination for a seat in the school committee of this city. In selecting him to this honored office the Democrats acted wisely, as Mr. Murray is eminently well qualified for the position to which he aspires. His nomination receives the indorsement of the Boston press irrespective of party, and there is every prospect of his selection at the polls. He has well balanced ideas concerning the management of our public schools, and he may be counted upon to lend his support to all measures having for their object the broadening of the field of popular education.

Lieutenant Governor Haile has wisely concluded to forego contesting the election of Governor Russell. This manly decision by Mr. Haile will gain for him added respect and honor among all good citizens who take a broader and more liberal view of such matters than to the professional politicians.

There is a lot of silly twaddle going about the country that connects Hon. P. A. Collins' name with the collectorship of Boston and Mr. Cleveland's cabinet. Mr. Collins does not want either of these positions; he can't afford to accept office while his income from his legal practice amounts to more than $25,000 a year.

There is going to be a whole regiment of sorehead Democrats in these parts when Mr. Cleveland takes up his residence in the White House. Already the place hunters are beginning to find fault with him because of his indifference to the machine men who are claiming the honor of electing him. The president-elect knows who placed him at the head of the nation, and his administration, so it is believed by the long heads who are not professional politicians, will be conducted in the interest of the whole people. Ex-Collector Saltonstall has made a big bid for the custom house, but he will hardly be reappointed. It is now thought that some well known business man, with a full knowledge of the fiscal system of the country, will be Mr. Beard's successor to the collectorship. Such a nomination would be eminently more satisfactory to the business community. The interests of Boston's commerce is the first consideration in electing a collector, a fact that Mr. Cleveland well understands and he will do his utmost to guard against their embarrassment.

The Old South Property.

When it was announced by the morning papers last week that the Old South property had been leased by a syndicate and that extensive alterations and improvements were to be made in the buildings, a cold chill crept down the backs of the creeky-jointed sentimentalists, for it was believed that the ancient edifice, where, it is said, the British dragoons during the revolution were wont to take their daily exercises, was either to fall under the hand of the nineteenth century iconoclasts or to be so altered as to lose its original outline. But these dreadful standstills were greatly relieved when it was made known that no harm was to come to the church edifice and that the change contemplated was simply the tearing down of the few decaying structures that have stood upon the surrounding land for the past 100 years and creating in their place more sightly and grander buildings. The lease of this valuable property is for seventy-five years and was made in favor of the Boston Architectural club. The tract involved has an area of 22,000 square feet. This one of the most important real estate deals ever consummated in this city, and its announcement attracted general attention. The work of demolishing the old buildings will begin immediately after the present leases expire. This section of the city is undergoing a rapid transformation and the time is not far distant when all its unsightly rookeries, which are heavily mortgaged to Time, will have disappeared.

Boston's Big Postoffice.

Nothing can better illustrate the rapid growth of Boston than her postoffice. In 1832, when Nathaniel Greene was postmaster, he employed ten clerks, one penny-post for distributing letters throughout the city and one messenger and porter. There were made up weekly for departure about 2000 mails. To show the enormous increase in the postal business here it now requires 538 clerks and 583 letter carriers to handle the mail matter that is collected and distributed from day to day. Of mail matter there are sent out daily 1231 pouches of letters alone, and 3500 sacks of other mail matter, while the daily receipts are 1255 pouches of letters and 1400 sacks of other mail matter, and the mail matter handled daily in the main office amounts to over 100 tons. The total receipts for the last fiscal year, which ended June 30, amounted to $2,374,601, and the expenses, including salaries for clerks and letter carriers, amounted to $1,001,832, making the net proceeds of the office $1,372,719. Of the sum expended there were paid to clerks $422,933, and to letter carriers and free delivery $523,367. The territory covered by the main offices of the district embraces only about 600 acres, and at midnight has only about 80,000 residents, while at noon it is estimated that there are 250,000 engaged in business in it who receive their mail through the postoffice. Boston's percentage of increase during the period mentioned is greater than that of any other city in the United States. This appears to be a good argument in favor of Boston having the best service that the department can supply.

Morality on Top.

Boston is just now undergoing a spasmodic attack of morality. It is not very severe, neither will it last any length of time. There has been a dearth of these outbreaks during the past three or four years, and those who have engineered them in the days gone by undoubtedly felt themselves growing rusty and concluded something must be done in their particular line lest the city go headaway to the demnition bow-wows. They therefore planned a move on the theatrical managers who had the dead walls decorated with semi-nude figures of female serio-comic actresses. A petition was presented to the board of aldermen, requested that burlesque on reformation to give them a hearing on the question of prohibiting the display of salacious posters upon the bill boards. Of course, this was granted, and the good city fathers fell into line with the idea advanced by the moralists, and sent their decision to the theatrical people, which was necessarily against them. Few realize the cost of some of the gaily colored papers that is used by many of the playhouses and traveling combinations in advertising their attractions. The writer knows of one instance where the artist was paid $1000 for his drawing, and to this must be added the expense of lithographing, which also comes very high. It might be suggested that the next move made by the moralists be against the hundreds of houses of ill-repute which are scattered all over the city. Here is an evil the suppression of which would be the greatest blessing possible to confer upon the community. But it is not likely that the work of regeneration will reach these pestiferous resorts as those who are engaged in patching up the city's virtues know what they really signify.

The Hotels of Boston.

The growth of Boston's hotels during the past ten years borders upon the marvellous. With the building of the Copley, the Victoria, the Abbotsford, the Beaconsfield terrace, the enlargement of the Parker house and the Hotel Reynolds, there are still others contemplated while a number are in course of erection. This feature alone would show that the city is rapidly growing in the absence of all other data. Even now travelers are often seen going from one hotel to another in search of accommodations when arriving after 11 o'clock at night. The result is that the landlords are becoming immensely wealthy and that idle capital is seeking investment in hotel property. With few exceptions Boston's hotels are run on what is known as the European plan—pay for what you eat. Twenty years ago the leading hotels were the American House, the United States Hotel, Parker's, Young's, the old Adams House, the Revere and the Tremont. The number has been more than quadrupled since then.

Music and the Drama.

The theater hat reform which is being vigorously prosecuted by The Herald is yielding abundant fruit. The managers of the Tremont have the following notice in their program: "To the lady patrons of this theater: Will you aid the management in its work of reform? Wear a small bonnet or remove your large hat during the performance. The theater is well heated and protected from draughts." Now that the leaf has been taken the managers of the other theaters should do likewise.

A trial performance of "The Continentals" was given at the Park theatre last Thursday afternoon, before a large audience. The opera was not an instantaneous success, although there is much in it that is deserving of praise. Had the leading parts been entrusted to more experienced hands the result would have been much more satisfactory. The lyrics were by Mr. Emil Schwab, a well-known Boston journalist.

The Park was packed to the doors Saturday evening when the last performance in this city for the present of "1492" was given. All of the principals received many recalls. The occasion was enlivened by the presence of a big crowd of Harvard students. It is understood that Mr. Hoyt was offered $7000 to cancel his date of ten weeks for "A Temperance Town," but he declined.

Rogers' Comedians at the Tremont were a failure financially. They were followed by Rosina Vokes, who is the last of this famous family to remain on the stage. She first appeared in this country in 1869 at Niblo's Garden, New York, in "Fun in a Kitchen." Her husband's name is Cecil Clay, and he acts as her business manager.

A local paper announces that Maris Burress of the Museum has two new hats, which she wears in "Nerves," and that they set off her fetching costumes with charming effect. If this paragraph was published with the expectation of exciting feminine interest the author could study woman's nature to advantage.

Mr. George Grossmith, the London humorist, about whom so much has been written of late, captured Boston without an effort. He deals with the foibles and idiocies of modern society, and everybody laughs because they believe he is hitting somebody else.

Jimmy Frost of The Globe newspaper, who has been press agent for the three theaters under the direction of Messrs. Rich & Harris, has accepted the agency of the Reading Railroad company at a salary of $7500 per annum. He will earn it, too.

E. H. Sothern's two weeks at the Hollis saw every seat taken and the orchestra packed to overflow the stage. He worthily follows in the footsteps of his father. Another thing, he always brings a good play.

Mr. Edgar Davenport arrived in this city from San Francisco last Saturday evening in response to a telegram from Mr. John Stetson, who wanted him in his production of "The Crust of Society."

There is a report going the rounds of the press that Lottie Collins' salary has been increased from $800 a week to $1200. Her managers are evidently dallying with figures.

During Mr. E. H. Willard's coming engagement at the Tremont he will present three new plays new to this city.

HARRY HARPER.

PRIME BEEF.

View from the Butchers' Standpoint for the Benefit of Farmers.

The illustration here reproduced from The Prairie Farmer represents a fat Hereford cow, carefully figured to show the farmer where the several prime to the inferior cuts lie. It will be seen that the inferior parts lie forward of the girth place, and in 4, 5, 13, 12, 14 and 15. Yet this term is used only relatively. A, b, 2, 7, 4, 5, 13 and 12 were relatively good, as being eligible for corned beef, for stewing, and in case of 6 and 12, for drying, so 1, 16, 8, 14 and 15 will come in nicely for soups or even for stews.

FIGURED FOR SUPERIOR AND INFERIOR CUTS OF BEEF.

The explanation of the cut from the butchers' standpoint, says the journal quoted, is as follows: All the best roasting pieces lie in a, b, c, 3, and in a, b, c, 9; the best steak also lies in a, b, c, 9; next in a, b, c, 10 and in 11, and the inferior in 12; but 12 is good for drying; 14, 15, 16 and 17 are used for soups and stews; 4, 5 and 33 are the plate pieces best for corning. The brisket (7) comes next; the neck (1) is also used for soups, for corning and also for inferior steak; a, b, 2, may be used either for roasting or for corning. So 12 may be used thus if necessary, and 10, 11 makes most excellent pieces for dried beef.

Keeping Frost Out of Cellars.

During the coldest nights of winter I keep a thermometer in my cellar, and when there is a probability of the temperature falling below the freezing point I keep out the frost by placing a lighted central draft lamp on the cellar floor. The flame is turned low, so that but little oil is consumed, and if necessary it is raised toward morning. have not banked up the house on the approach of winter since trying this expedient, and have kept out the frost with much less expense than was required in banking up the foundation walls with earth and straw. The heat thrown off by a central draft lamp is very great in proportion to the size of the flame, and could be utilized to protect house plants in the windows and those stored for winter in cellar or cold pit. A lamp of this pattern can also be attached to a window box, so as to give bottom heat in starting early vegetables, flower seeds and cuttings, thus giving the amateur many of the conveniences of a greenhouse or hotbed, writes a correspondent in American Agriculturist.

Cheerful Resignation.

Mrs. Watts—Has your husband's rheumatism?

Mrs. Potts—Better, I think. Or at least I am getting more used to it.—Indianapolis Journal.

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Wander—I don't; I board.—Life.

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HOME DRESSMAKING.

SOME PRACTICAL HINTS THAT ARE OF TIMELY VALUE.

The Cloth for Waist Lining and the Way It Should Be Cut—The Importance of Basting, Ironing and Rebasting—How to Get a Perfect Fit.

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NUMBER I.

In presenting to our lady readers this series of articles on first class dressmaking as it is done abroad and by the best modistes of this country we believe we are doing them a lasting favor and one which will assist them in becoming accomplished dressmakers, so that, no matter how remote from the seat of fashion, no lady need wear garments that bear the unmistakable seal of "country" about them, and they may, if occasion requires, earn a respectable livelihood at home. These directions and diagrams are substantially the same as those employed by the great man dressmaker of Paris, and the fundamental principles are exactly the same. The lady who reads this series of six articles is advised to cut them out and paste them in a book for reference, and she will have something which would cost her twenty dollars to buy—the price of the "systems." No mechanical "system," however, can approach this in simplicity and practicability, and all so called systems fail if the waists are not tried on and managed after this plan, as no two women are formed alike, nor is any one woman precisely alike on both sides.

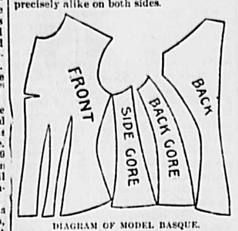

DIAGRAM OF MODEL BASQUE.

In the first place it requires one yard and a half of strong silesia or drilling for waist lining. This should be cut into the form shown by the diagram, but the darts should not be cut until it is fitted. To get the proper dimensions put the material, doubled lengthwise, on a table, and having the diagram before you measure the length of the waist from the neck to the bottom. Make dots at these places along the doubled selvage. Measure the length from shoulder to waist and the distance from the straight line from shoulder to front, keeping the same distance to bottom; then mark the points, which must vary according to the figure of the person. If very stout they must be about two inches across at the waist line; if slender, one to one and a half, and a reference to the diagram will show the forms. The back and side body pieces are to be measured from top to waist line.

When the lining is cut, allowing at least three inches margin beyond the seam, it should be basted and tried on, the seams being left on the outside. The fitter should then "take in" the seams and pin them until the whole lining fits perfectly, snug in all parts, but binding in none.

When the model waist lining has been thus fitted to the figure, take it off and iron it, so that the pins will make marks and show just where the seamis should go. Then the lining should be rebasted, following the line of the pins on the outside of them, and the pins then pulled out. Try the lining on again, right side out. When the fit is perfect the lining should be ironed again, the seams being laid apart this time, and after this the basting stitches should be clipped so that the different pieces will fall apart without being pulled.

The lining, with an allowance for seams of at least one inch all around, can now be laid upon the outside material and pinned so that it cannot slip and be cut. Care must be taken that all the figures run one way if the goods are figured or the nap if of wool, and that the selvage edge comes straight with the front of the waist. The inferior cuts lie, it will be seen that the inferior parts lie forward of the girth place, and in 4, 5, 13, 12, 14 and 15. Yet this term is used only relatively. A, b, 2, 7, 4, 5, 13 and 12 were relatively good, as being eligible for corned beef, for stewing, and in case of 6 and 12, for drying, so 1, 16, 8, 14 and 15 will come in nicely for soups or even for stews.

Baste the lining to the outside with great care, for much of the beauty and smoothness depends upon the basting. The lining should be held upward so that it may be just the least bit looser than the outside. The basting stitches should follow the outline of every separate part of the basque and up both sides of each dart. More depends upon care in basting than people usually suppose.

When all the outlines are properly basted with stitches not more than one-fourth of an inch long, turn the front over and baste as designated by the pins. A very full bust will require a V shaped plait in front, as per diagram, in the lining only, and sometimes for quite stout ladies the front line will need turning in quite deep at neck and waist line, but the pinholes will show just how much is required.

The buttons go on the left side and the buttonholes on the right, and the lap for these should be deep enough to have the buttonholes cut in the doubled place. Leave the under lap flat and sew a strong piece of tape along for the buttons.

When this is done, baste the darts, beginning the seam from the top, tapering from an imperceptible point. The darts should never be very high, the back one being an inch higher than the front, and this about two inches below the under arm.

The seams must always be commenced from the top and carefully basted before sewing, care being taken to keep from puckering the seams. Baste the two darts first, then the side gores, beginning at the arm size. The two middle backs should be then basted together, beginning at the top; then the side pieces, which are the most difficult of all.

If the waist now proves to fit perfectly the seams can be sewn firmly and neatly, but always on the outside of the basting, next the edge, as the basted seams are elastic, and sewing them tightly makes a couple of inches difference. When they are sewn lay the seams open and trim the edges neatly with the scissors and overhand or bind with lustring, if preferred. At the waist line two slits should be cut in the seams nearly to the seam, and after the edges are bound or overcast they should be pressed carefully with a hot iron before the bone casings are sewn on or the case belt, and before the bottom is finished off. If the goods are woolen, they should be slightly moistened; if of silk, the iron should not be too hot nor the silk moistened. The press board should have one thickness of flannel and one of muslin.

OLIVE HARPER.

In a Book Store.

Coincidences occur in Detroit not less than they do elsewhere. Not many days ago—for the book is but recently out—a lady of this town went into a book store, no matter which one.

"Have you," she said to a sweet faced clerk, who looked as if he had been brought up on a milk and honey farm, "have you 'David Allen's Daughter?'"

"Ma'am?" he responded with a start, as a ruddy glow suffused his face and coruscated from the tips of his ears.

"Have you got 'David Allen's Daughter?'"

He braced up manfully.

"No'm, I haven't," he said bravely; "not yet, anyway; but if the old man will only hold off for about a month longer you bet I will have her."—Detroit Free Press.

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BOSTON THEATRES.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—Oliver Byron, the powerful and favorite emotional actor will pay a visit to the Grand Opera House next week and will present his great success, "Across the Continent."

Mr. Byron is accompanied by an excellent company and his play is one of the strongest melodramas that has this season been given in Boston. Mr. Byron as Joe Ferris, or the ferret, is spirited and skillful in his roll and makes more of the part than could possibly be made by many actors who stand high as portrayers of the emotional.

In the second act there will be introduced some very clever specialties. These will be contributed by Charles A. Mason, the German song and dance artist; Miss Gertrude McGill, in very clever dances and Charles D. Thompson in comic songs and sayings.

Miss Eugenie Dingens, a young Boston actress, is a member of the company. She is very pretty, very clever in her profession and will be given by her many Boston friends a most cordial welcome.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—"Miss Helyett," with Louise Leslie Carter as the small little Quakeress and the world famous Lottie Collins, in her unique creation, "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay," will be the strong double attraction at the Hollis Street theatre next week. In "Miss Helyett," an entertainment twice accorded much favor in Boston, are blended the crisp humor of Daniel Belasco's adroit adaptation, with the sparkling melodies of Edmond Audran. It is an odd entertainment quite different from anything else in the field. The little Pennsylvania Quakeress has been played continuously for over a year with great success by Louise Leslie Carter, whose art is the daintiest and most delicate. There are many favorites in the cast. Lottie Collins in "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay" will be the strong special card.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE.—The humor and pathos of "My Colleen" will delight the patrons of the Bowdoin Square theatre during all of next week. This is the latest play from the pen of James A. Herne, the well-known author of "Hearts of Oak." The same graceful style he displayed in his earlier production is shown in the piece he has especially written for Mr. Farrell. It is a wide departure for the conventional Irish drama, being bright, refined and true to nature, with the old guff of red-coats, landlord villians and lost wills eliminated. The play is strongly emotional, and the interest is well sustained by a plot of sterling worth. The dialogue sparkles with wit and humor, interspersed with catchy songs and music, while the action of the piece abounds in thrilling and effective situations.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.—Charles Frohman's Boston Stock Company are delighting large audiences at the Columbia theatre by their splendid performance of Augustus Thomas' new war comedy, "Surrender." Since the opening night the play has been materially changed, in some respects to great advantage. Careful excisions of superfluous dialogues have been made, new lines have been interpolated, new business, new scenes and more effective situations introduced. Its humor is more pointed and expressive, the action is brisker and the dramatic interest is increased and more thoroughly sustained. The change made in the third act is the most notable one, and the closing situation is now as thrilling as any ever seen in a war drama. A. M. Palmer's great company is to play an early engagement at the Columbia, presenting "Alabama," "Lady Windermere's Fan," "Jim, the Penman" and "Saints and Sinners."

PARK THEATRE.—"The Park theatre has another big success." Such was the verdict of the audience which jammed the theatre to the doors Monday night upon the occasion of the first presentation in Boston of Mr. Charles H. Hoyt's latest success, "A Temperance Town." It was a gratifying occasion to the young author who spent his early days of struggle in Boston, to know from an audience of good judges that they regarded his latest work as his best, and certainly the majority of those present seemed to agree in pronouncing "A Temperance Town" the strongest and funniest of all the Hoyt series of successes, which have been ten in number and the first failure yet to come. The effect of the play upon the audience was unquestioned. The house was packed and the audience seemed enthusiastically in accord with the author's views. The players were all exceptionally well received. At the end of the third act loud calls and cheers for Mr. Hoyt were answered by W. H. Currie, a member of the company who explained that Mr. Hoyt though present was too ill to appear. Mr. Hoyt's partner in his many enterprises, Mr. Thomas, was also present. There seems no reason why "A Temperance Town" should not remain at the Park theatre for weeks to come.

GLOBE THEATRE.—Mr. John Stetson has engaged the best possible talent for his new comedy, "The Crust of Society," which has been arranged by Miss Louise Imogen Guiney and William Seymour for the production at the Globe Theatre, Dec. 12th. Miss Carrie Turner, Joseph Haworth and Edgar L. Davenport are prominent in the cast. Miss Edythe Proctor, whose real name is Elita Proctor Otis, will make her debut in the piece. Miss Proctor is a handsome woman, a pronounced blond, and by her grace and charm of manner adds constantly to her many friends.—Post.

Hostilities.

Thomas Jefferson—What yo' got?

Hakaway Jones—I'ze got four queens.

Thomas Jefferson—Dey ain't no good. I'ze got four kings.

Hakaway Jones—You has, eh? What's de matter wid dis extra king in my han?

Thomas Jefferson (drawing his razor)—De same t'ing dat's de matter wid dis extra queen in my han.—Truth.

High Toned.

Deacon Medders—Skipps, the cashier of the Onderdonk County bank, ran away last night. They say he has been robbing the bank for more than a year.

Mrs. Medders—They might have known that he was living beyond his means. Why, Josiah, his folks actually used to sit in their parlor every night!—Life.

Proof Positive.

He—Do you love me?

She—If I didn't, how could I possibly endure hearing you ask me that same old chestnut question so often as you do?—Somerville Journal.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Couldn't Do It.

Charles H. Hoyt, the playwright, when obliged to be away from his wife superintending some performance, always sends her a long telegram telling her of his success or failure. On one occasion when out west everything went wrong, and, worse than all, the play was to empty benches. Before retiring he telegraphed, "I cannot send you from this town a telegram fit for a lady to read."—Exchange.

Would Be Careful.

A French journal says that a man who had a passion for shooting called one morning to his servant:

"There's a rabbit in the garden, Jacques! Hand me a gun."

"But, sir, it is 5 o'clock in the morning; everybody is asleep."

"No matter. I'll fire on tiptoe."—Youth's Companion.

A Hint to Horatio.

Mercutio—Time hath more lives than many men, Horatio.

Horatio—Nay, nay, Mercutio.

Mercutio—I say thee aye, Horatio. For many men in many ways have passed their years in killing time, yet still it doth outlive them all, and they, not time, are food for worms. Are you on, Horatio?—Detroit Free Press.

The Miser's Little Dodge.

In order to find out whether his servant pays surreptitious visits to his biscuit box, a worthy descendant of Harpagon imprisons a fly in it, and when he comes back he opens the lid to make sure if the winged sentry is still at its post.—Nouvelles a la Main.

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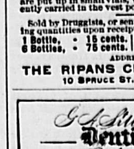

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J. CLARENCE HOWE, Chairman, P. O. Address, Weymouth.
HENRY A. NASH, Clerk, P. O. Address, Weymouth Heights.
LEONARD V. THRELL, GEORGE H. BICKNELL, HIRAM E. RAYMOND.
Board of Selectmen of Weymouth.

Weymouth, March, 1892.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

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TO the Next-of-Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JANE SMITH,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Henry A. Nash of Weymouth, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the first Wednesday of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, printed at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said court.

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Board of Health.
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THE Board of Health hereby notify all persons interested, that on and after this date, the following provisions of Chapter 26 of the General Statutes will be strictly enforced:
Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of . . . any . . . disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding $100.
Sec. 45. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects of give such notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.
The Board considers the above sections to apply to Diptheria, Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Measles and Whooping Cough.
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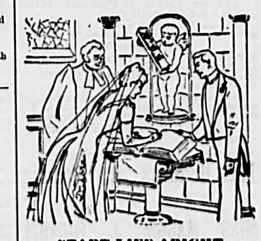

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THE WEEK IN BOSTON.

Politics and Politicians as Seen at the Hub.—The Charlestown Navy Yard.

There is a report going about the city that David Hall Rice, the newly elected councillor, who referred to the governor in a recent speech as "his accidency" intends resigning. Those who started this silly twaddle do not know the man; he is white oak all through, and notwithstanding the unmerciful scoring he is receiving from the Democratic and mugwump press he will stick to his office like a darkey to a ham bone.

In the re-election of Mayor Matthews the people have simply given expression to their belief in good and economical local government. Not since the time Boston joined the sisterhood of cities has she been better governed than during the two years of Mayor Matthews' reign. This has made him popular with the masses irrespective of party. Public improvements have been on a more extensive scale than ever before while sectional legislation has become almost obsolete. No amount of party preaching will rub these facts out of the public mind, and so long as Mr. Matthews cares to serve the people of Boston just so long will he be elected to do so. The rum element, or that portion of it that does not hold licenses, did what they could to elect the Republican candidate as did the disgruntled Democrats who wanted to see Owen A. Galvin nominated. But the impotency of their strength is better understood by themselves than by anybody else.

Henry Cabot Lodge continues to spin his senatorial web and present indications are to the effect that he will have no serious opposition to his aspirations to get the chair vacated by Mr. Dawes. The little Crapo boom is hardly worth considering. The most he can hope for is half a dozen votes from his personal admirers down on the cape. In regard to brother Barrett, who grinds out heavy editorials for The Advertiser, he may be considered out of the race. He will be well satisfied to again secure the speakership of the house of representatives. It is believed that he has swung the silver-tipped gavel for the last time, and, if the truth were known, he is of the same opinion. He will make a fight for the honor, however, and his past success undoubtedly leads him to believe there is a possibility of his "getting there" for the fourth time. The reason that Mr. Lodge's canvass has brightened almost into the dawn of victory is because there is no well defined organization against him.

Our Navy Yard.

There are indications that the splendid resources of the Charlestown navy yard are to be taken advantage of by the government in the very near future, as there are reports that the gunboats Castine, Machias and Marblehead will be fitted out there. If these reports are confirmed they mean that 200 workmen will be added to the present force at the yard and that the magnificent machinery, much of it the finest in the world, which has remained idle since the close of the war will be again in motion. The general decay that prevails about this auxiliary of the naval establishment is suggestive of governmental bankruptcy. No American citizen can visit this scene of corrosion without a feeling of humiliation. A company of finely equipped marines keep constant guard over the hundreds of obsolete cannon and rusty shells which lie scattered about in profusion. When the work of rehabilitation begins one of the first considerations should be the construction of a dry dock capable of taking up the monster war ships now in course of construction. If a serious mishap were to befall one of them while in these waters her repair would be a knotty problem for the navy department to handle with only the present dock available. Congress will, no doubt, awaken to this exigency when the tariff and other distracting questions are disposed of. It seems belittling that Charlestown, of all other localities on the American seacoast, should have a navy yard in which the people could take an especial pride.

Valueless Junket.

A commission of the city government has just returned from an extensive junket that took in many of the leading cities of the country, the object of the trip being a study of the various kinds of pavement used on the public highways and the methods employed in running street departments. There is no doubt that the members had a good time, as this is always guaranteed to any one who visits a sister city in an official capacity. Of course the costs of these good times comes out of the pockets of the taxpayers whether they are productive of good or not. In the present instance the result was valueless, as the commission in its report to the mayor says that Boston is the best paved and cleanest city in the United States. We knew all that before, and such being the fact how was it possible to learn anything of value in this respect from other cities? There would be some sense in their coming here to study our institutions, as we lead, but for our going away to post up on something we excel in is like sending a committee of Fall River spinners to Squedunk to get new ideas on the running of cotton weaving machinery. One would naturally suppose that this view of the matter would have been taken by the mayor before he gave his sanction to the junket, but mayors, like other people, do not always stop to think.

Boston's Newest Club.

It would seem that Boston had about as many dining clubs as she could conveniently swing, but any assumption of this nature is immediately controverted by the fact that every little while the announcement is made that a new club has been formed. The latest addition to these gastronomic confraternities is as yet without a name, presumably because most of the available or significant titles are already taken. This new club, it is said, is going to take the lead of all the others, a prediction that will not be verified. The rolls, so it is claimed, contain the names of many young men of influence, but in what direction is not stated. Robert Kent James is charged with having originated the organization. He is one of the editors and proprietors of the Boston Budget. He says the club will be composed exclusively of well-to-do fellows, and they are not to give any small dinners, as the object is to invite politicians to the banquets and get their views on important questions of state. More especially will this be done on the eve of state and national elections.

A few months ago there was organized here what is now known as the Dean club, and in making up its list of membership a number of applicants were rejected. Of course this caused somewhat of a stir in the "smart set" and steps were immediately taken to heal the wounded feelings of those who had been left out in the cold. This took form in starting still another club, which is the one mentioned at the beginning of this paragraph. The first ambition of this newest combination will be to outnumber in membership the Dean club. It is hoped nothing serious will happen to clubdom during the contest. The club boys are a jolly set and nothing should be done to cause the slightest ruffling of their temperaments.

America Cup Defender.

I met a veteran yachtsman the other day and asked him in what spirit the challenge of Lord Dunraven had been received in this city. He replied that yachtsmen generally were well pleased to know that the misunderstanding that had existed on both sides of the Atlantic in regard to aquatic sports had been settled and that the friendly rivalry was again to be inaugurated.

"Will Boston build a cup defender?"

"Yes, I have learned that Henry Bryant will construct such a boat and that Montgomery Sears, who was in the syndicate that put the Puritan afloat, stands ready to join a similar organization to construct a boat to defend the prize. There would be at least three boats built for this purpose were Mr. Burgess alive. Since his death local yachtsmen have lost much of their enthusiasm in these international contests because they have no faith in the designers of the present day. Mr. Bryant has just returned from Glasgow, whither he went some time ago for the purpose of studying naval architecture, and, with his added knowledge of the business, he feels confident that he can build a boat that will successfully compete with the English rival."

"How many boats, in all, will be constructed?"

"At least half a dozen. New York will have three or four afloat, as her yacht club is anxious to wear the honor of defeating the foreigner."

"How will the competitor on this side be finally settled?"

"By engaging in a series of matches, and the boat displaying the best all-around sailing qualities will be the one selected for the contest."

"There is no doubt of an international contest?"

"Not the remotest."

Burial Lot Pawned.

One of the most peculiar cases that ever came under the attention of the trustees of Mt. Hope cemetery is that of a young man who borrowed $100 from a Boston money lender and gave the lot wherein are buried the bodies of his father and mother as security. The note fell due, and it not having been met the holder made an attempt to have the bodies removed, so that he could take possession of the plot and place it upon the market. As no provision could be made for a reinterment of the remains anywhere other than in Potter's field, the trustees demurred and declared that the money lender had no right to disturb the bodies. He protested, claiming that the law gave him the right to take possession, and he proposed doing it. He will be stayed, however, as the trustees intend to lay the facts before the courts and question the legality of an heir bartering away the resting place of the dead. The contest will be watched with interest, as the decision will establish a precedent in all similar cases, and it is understood that this is not the only one. The statutes in such matters are defective, and it is the purpose of the trustees to have a new law framed and passed at the next session of the legislature.

Music and the Drama.

"The Crust of Society," produced at the Globe Monday evening, was one of the leading theatrical events of the season. A large and brilliant audience was present and the play jumped into popular favor with one bound. It deals with the fads and follies of the select set, and the faithfulness with which they are shown up gives an interest to the play entirely distinct from its literary merits, which are pitched in an unusually high key. Joseph Haworth and Miss Carrie Turner divided the honors of the evening.

Mrs. John Stetson declares that she was first asked by the Montana officials to allow her physical outlines to be reflected in the great silver statue of Diana that that state will exhibit at the World's Fair, but she declined, as the terms were the payment of $15,000 to the originators of the scheme. Afterward a similar proposition was made to Miss Ada Rehan, and, she being in the theatrical business, Mr. Daly accepted the conditions in the sense of a purely commercial speculation.

The aldermen have succeeded in relegating the so-called obscene theatrical posters to obscurity. The V-shaped waists of high toned society still flourish. If a poster giving a correct reproduction of some of the mothers and daughters of the Back Bay district as they appear at fashionable receptions were to be publicly displayed the moral foundations of the city would be rent asunder.

J. Cheever Goodwin, who wrote "Evangeline," has engaged with Thatcher, Rich and Harris to give them a play embodying comic opera, farce comedy, minstrelsy and burlesque. How he will manage to crowd all these features into one play is a mystery to intellects less ponderous than Mr. Goodwin's.

Fanny Davenport's "Cleopatra" sent the Hollis Street theater orchestra under the stage. Fanny's diaphanous costumes left little for the imagination, even the near sighted auditors declaring her contour to be divinely classical.

Jim Corbett, the man who knocked out Sullivan, gave a "professional" matinee at the Grand Opera house last Friday afternoon. A few years back prize fighters were abhorred by the "better" element; now they are social gods. Great has been the evolution of the men of the roped ring.

Rosina Vokes' knee joints appear to be as limber today as they were twenty years ago. She belongs to the Lotta school of elasticity.

Encouraged by the success of his "Black Crook" production Mr. Tompkins will put another company in rehearsal shortly for the road.

"A Temperance Town" at the Park is dubiating the success of "1492." It is classed among Hoyt's best work.

HARRY HARPER.

A LETTER FROM THE PEN OF BARNEY RAFERTY, THE WOULD-BE MAYOR.

Och! Biddy Macree
Where iver ye be,
This letther yer'll find be the night I suppouse,
For me heart swells wid love
Me intintions above,
When I think of y'er eyes and y'er little pug nose.

For I'd not intinded,
Me love is so splindid,
To spake it out yet till I'm sure of a place,
Me mind is so sot on,
Now jisht to depend on,
The mayor's chair, 'tis of New York, I w'u'd grace.

If I'm disappinted
Then 'twill be laminted,
From Boston to Utah's famous salt shore,
But the b'ys are all right,
And the hand they will plight,
Till the morrow, a moonth, and a day is pasht o'er.

It draws on me wealth,
To fill in the health,
Of beer and of wine that is drunk by those bards.
And lo all them bad 'cess,
At election if less.
For soon I'll be getting a howlt on the wards.

If I sh'u'd be failin',
Then you w'u'd be wailin',
For I w'u'd be busting wid mortified pride,
Yer heart w'u'd be breaking,
Wid grief you'd be taken,
Sure bustin I'd die, and ye'd ne'er be me bride.

Then you w'u'd be seen
To kape me grave green,
Wid the tears ye w'u'd shed on that onhappy day;
Ye w'u'd wish yesilf dead
And by spirits be led,
To meet your swate Barney outside of de clay.

If I am succissful,
Then it w'u'd be blissful,
For then I w'u'd spake of the day to be wed,
And if ye'll not take me,
Or if ye forsake me,
In vain has me wealth for those honors been spread.

Faith! now in yer eye
'Tis a sparkle I'd spy,
A tricherous glint for Pat Murphy I'd see,
Then in paradine,
I'll open me eyes,
Laving Biddy mavourneen a-mourning for me.

When up in the skies
To my great surprise,
Some colleen,—an angel I knew here below—
Might be very swate like
And surely fate like
Would lave us to wooing widout tears or woe.

If ye w'u'd be sweet
Till the next time we meet,
All ye sighin' and sorrowin' thin will be over,
May be I'll forgo,
Me intintion of woe,
And thin fill each office of mayor and lover.

From your loving Barnee,
To Biddy Macree.

A. M. C.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

HOME DRESSMAKING.

THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING GOOD BUTTONHOLES.

They Are One of the Prime Requisites to the Fine Appearance of a Gown. The Making of a Collar—Attention to Little Details Necessary.

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NUMBER II.

In the cutting of a dress the waist should be the first to be cut, and then the skirt, which can be made as ample as the amount of material will allow, but the waist will bear no scrimping.

When the waist has been pressed, then work the buttonholes. Cut the holes evenly, then "bar" them with coarse thread and overhand them, after which work the buttonhole solidly and well, for nothing looks more slovenly than wornout buttonholes. The buttons had better be left to the last, as thread catches around them. To get them on straight lay the two fronts together and pass an iron lightly over the buttonholes, or mark down through the holes with a pencil and sew the buttons on exactly there.

To make and sew a collar on a dress is a neat job, and if it is a plain one should be first cut out of strong wigan, and that basted on silesia or other lining, and then faced with silk or satin, whatever the outer material is made of. The collar is to be pressed with a piece of damp cloth laid between that and the iron. Then cut a nick exactly in the middle of the collar and fasten this to the center of the back seam, and tack the two ends to the fronts and baste them; that on the left side, however, must reach only to the line of buttons. The outer material, lining and wigan are all to be taken in one seam with the waist of the dress and carefully basted first, and only sewn when sure it is right. The collar should then be raised and its position and the facing sewn down and the whole firmly pressed.

The bone casings can now be sewn in. They are better made of bias silesia, but some use tapes and others the steel cased bones, but nothing is so good or lasting as the regular whalebones, and on the proper adjustment of these very much of the beauty of a waist depends. The casings should be just wide enough to let the bone slide in snugly, and they must be sewn only to the seams and no stitches visible from the outside. Scrape the bones at each end with a piece of glass until the ends are flexible, and thus they will not wear through the dress nor make an ugly hump. For very stout ladies the bones are doubled in the middle and shaved thin at the ends, and if placed in hot water a short time they can easily be sewn together with a fine needle. It is usual to place a bone in each dart in the side seams and one in the back.

When the bones are all in, the case belt can be sewn in. This is to relieve the strain about the waist, and is to be neatly diamond stitched in the middle of the back and on the under arm seams, and it is finished by a hem and strong hook and eye. Then the final finish around the bottom can be put on.

This can be done in many ways, but the standard is to face it neatly with the same material as the dress, or silk or satin. If of self goods, the facing extends the sixteenth of an inch below the waist, giving the appearance of a piping. The silk lining requires that the outside be turned under so as not to show. In facing the bottom great care should be taken to see that it is trimmed exactly even, for crooked lines there mark the amateur at once.

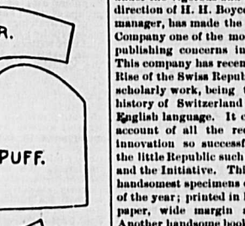

DIAGRAM OF MODEL SLEEVE, WITH BALLOON TOP.

[Upper sleeve dotted line marks shape for lining.]

The putting on of the facing to a basque is a "nice job." It is better to baste first, then stitch the bottom and turn the facing up, basting it again, and then press it before the inside is finally felled down. That insures a perfectly straight edge if cut straight.

At the present moment sleeves vary greatly in shape and size, but they are all very easy to manage if the few fundamental rules are followed. A diagram herewith shows the main idea, which is that the under part of the sleeve is narrower than the top, and that the top is rounded, while the under side is hollowed at the top. The measure should be taken for sleeves from one inch back of the shoulder seam and carried down over the bent elbow to the wrist. The sleeve to be fashionable now should be of the leg o' mutton, plain bishop, with deep cuff, and the balloon in which the upper part is puffed and the fore arm part quite plain. The last requires a plain, medium snug foundation for the support of the balloon tops. The leg o' mutton can be made in many varieties, the one most often seen having the upper part wrinkled. The sleeves now require a large quantity of material, usually three yards.

The sleeve is sewn up, the seams whipped and the wrists finished with a neat piping, or a cuff of velvet made over wigan, and then they are ready to be sewn in. From the two dots they should be gathered until just a fit for the arm size. The under arm seam is to be pinned to the front seam of the front side gore, and the back arm seam will come naturally to an inch below the shoulder seam in the back. Baste the lower part of the seam to the waist, and then turning the sleeve toward you baste forward from the back arm seam, keeping the gathers mostly on the top of the shoulder. Then sew strongly and overcast.

All tailor finished dresses should have as nearly plain sleeves as fashion will allow. Modified leg o' mutton is now the accepted style, with the wrists left open an inch on the back, and finished with a silk "arrowhead" or a row of very small buttons. Sleeves for silk or fine goods have quite a bouffante effect just now, and will take much more elaborate trimming than wool.

It requires now about 4½ yards of 24-inch goods for basque and balloon or leg o' mutton sleeves. A diagram of leg o' mutton and balloon puff is given.

OLIVE HARPER.

On The Lakes.

By the treaty of 1817 the United States and Great Britain each agreed to maintain only one man-of-war on the lakes. For some time Great Britain has overcome the agreement, practically, by having two revenue cutters there, armed and equipped in the most modern fashion, and has just launched a third vessel for the same service. On the part of the United States her only defensive force in the same waters is the crazy old side-wheel man-of-war, Michigan, which was built nearly forty years ago, and has a battery of antiquated muzzle-loading howitzers. Probably any one of the British cutters could overpower her in ten minutes after the first shot was fired so that she is hardly more than a war ship in name. It is a good place for one of the new vessels of the new navy.

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The History of an Important Publishing House.—The Arena Publishing Co. and What it Has Accomplished in Three Years.

From The Weekly Journalist, Boston Mass.

About a year ago we published a brief sketch of Mr. B. O. Flower, the editor of the arena, and then took occasion to note the phenominal success of this popular Boston review in the field of serious periodical literature.

Since then we have watched with interest the rapid strides of this magazine and the progress of the Arena Publishing Company in developing from merely the publishers of a great review to one of the most important publishing houses of New England, or, for that matter, of this country.

The Arena has from its birth steadily and rapidly increased in circulation and influence, long since distancing, with one exception, all high priced reviews in point of popularity and circulation. This is largely due to the courage, boldness and the moral convictions which has ever been one of the distinctive characteristics of this review. It is also the only American review which appeals to the tastes of all members of the family in which it circulates. By publishing each month strong, short stories, biographical sketches, prose etchings and interesting pen pictures it has won its way into the hearts of tens of thousands of people who have been attracted to its pages through these features. The admirable portraits of leading thinkers and the introduction of fine illustrations when the text has called for them, have also contributed to its popularity, but doubtless the fact that it is in perfect touch with the most advanced, progressive and reformative thought of the age and employs the ablest living thinkers to write for its columns, also gives it a prestige enjoyed by no other great review. At the present time the Arena is read each month by more than 100,000 people in America, while during the past six months its European circulation has increased more than 1000 copies.

This is due largely to the great interest felt in the Bacon-Shakespeare case now being presented by the giant thinkers of two worlds, who are combating the opposite claims of the two most illustrious names in the golden age of literature in England. When such eminent persons in Great Britain as the Marquis of Lorne, Edmund Gosse, Alfred Russell Wallace, D. C. L., Prof. J. Donaldson, principal of St. Andrew's university and Henry Irving, consent to act as jurors, it is evident that in England as well as America, the interest in this discussion is very great. Another reason for the growing popularity of the Boston review in Europe lies in the fact that in England and on the Continent the thoughtful and progressive people are becoming for the first time acquainted with the Arena and thus learning that it in a larger degree than any other magazine reflects the best progressive and reformative thought of both the old and the new world.

The phenominal success of this great review under the editorial management of B. O. Flower, is no more remarkable than the progress made during the past year in the business management of the enterprise under the vigorous and energetic personal direction of H. H. Boyce, who as business manager, has made the Arena Publishing Company one of the most important book publishing concerns in the New World. This company has recently published "The Rise of the Swiss Republic," a finished and scholarly work, being the first elaborate history of Switzerland published in the English language. It contains a detailed account of all the recent Governmental

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1892.

When you pay your subscription watch for the change of date on the address on your paper. If it is not advanced a year in four weeks from time of payment, please notify this office.

Speaker Crisp was snubbed and not allowed to deliver his little speech before the New York Reform club, but he is still speaker of the House and has a chance to turn a deaf ear and a blind eye to some people when they shout "Mr. Speaker!"

Masonry and other secret societies were under fire at the meeting of the New England Christian association in Boston yesterday. We apprehend that Masonry and kindred societies will survive long after the meeting of yesterday shall have been forgotten.

Capt. "Jack" Adams, the sergeant-at-arms at the State House, and who was daring enough to defy some of the political leaders of the Republican party by rearing his head as a candidate for lieutenant-governor in opposition to their commands and threats of defeat for his present position, will be a candidate for re-election. The Captain, having been a good officer—and it being manifestly within the liberties of every American citizen to offer himself as a candidate for any public office—should be supported by every legislator who loves a little independence and who wishes to weaken the boss power which is becoming manifest in certain directions within the party.

Senatorial.

The legislature of Massachusetts meets on the first Wednesday of January and on the second Tuesday after the meeting and organization thereof, will proceed to elect a United States Senator. Each house acts separately on the first day of voting but this action is not final, for on the following day at noon both branches meet in joint assembly and should it appear that the same person has received a majority in each house he is declared elected, otherwise the convention proceeds to a ballot and meets from day to day, taking at least one ballot at each meeting until a senator is elected.

The candidates in the field are Mr. Lodge, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Crapo and Mr. Long. We say that Mr. Long is a candidate because he has said he would not decline if the nomination should come to him. We hope it may come to him. As we have stated before we believe Mr. Long to be the best man for the place and that he will represent Massachusetts as scarcely any other can. He is a clean politician with no smirches on his reputation, is liberal in his views, and is a broad-minded statesman as well as one of the most polished orators of the country.

Ye Old Time Laws.

At this time, when we are receiving, from all parts of the old world, immigrants at the rate of more than 500,000 a year, and the question of what shall be done with them is agitating all parts of the country, when Congress is considering the advisability of limiting or entirely stopping this inflow of foreigners, and when men like Charles W. Elliott, L. L. D., Patrick Donahoe, Edward Atkinson and Rev. Solomon Schindler are giving the matter their deepest attention, it may be of interest to know what our fathers thought in regard to the same subject.

There is nothing in town of more interest than its ancient records, dating back more than two hundred and fifty years, and we read: "6th April 1646. Whereas we find sad experience the great inconvenience that many times it comes to pass by the permitting of strangers to come into the plantation pretending only to sojourn for a season, but afterwards they have continued awhile, account themselves inhabitants with us, and so challenge to themselves all such privileges and immunities as those do enjoy who notwithstanding are of little use to advance the public good but rather many times are troublesome and prove a burden to the plantation, the premises considered together with the straightness of the place, the number of the people, and the smallness of the trade we yet have among us we the townsmen whose names are subscribed for the prevention of this and the like inconveniences, have thought good to present to consideration the insuing order to be voted by the whole Town to stand in force as long as they in wisdom shall see just cause.

First that no inhabitant within the plantation shall presume to take into his house as an inmate or servant any person or persons unless he shall give sufficient bond to defray the plantation of what damage may come thereupon, or be as covenant servant and that for one year at least without leave first had or obtained from the whole Town at some of their public meetings under the penalty of 5 shillings a week as long as he shall continue in the breach of this order to be levied by the constable or other officer and deliver to the treasurer for the time being, to be improved for the use and benefit of the town.

Also that no person or persons within this plantation shall let or sell any house or land to any person or persons that is not an inhabitant among us, until he hath first made a tender of it to the town at a training or some lecture day or other public meeting."

The article as quoted above is endorsed in the records as having been accepted by the "whole town" and at once became a law. We are unable to state whether it was ever repealed or modified; we think, however, it would be a hard law to enforce to-day. Whether this be a law or not the immigrant question will loom up by the side of the tariff and silver in the debating society at Washington for the next few months.

South Weymouth Lyceum Entertainment.

Another fine concert in the Co-operative course was given by the Couthoui Entertainment Company in Fogg's Opera House last Tuesday evening.

This company was composed of Jessie Couthui Shandrew, reader; C. L. Staats, clarinet soloist; Jennie Spencer, mezzo soprano; and Jessie Downer, pianist and accompanist.

The following programme was carried out:

Piano solo—Tarantelle, Ruffe, Miss Downer; reading—"Out of the fire," Carleton, Jessie C. Shandrew; fantasie for clarinet—"Pre Aux Clercs," Mr. Staats; humorous recitation—Jessie C. Shandrew; song—Augus McDonald, Miss Spencer; piano solo—Bacarolle, Rubinstein, Miss Downer; reading—"After the Battle," Anon, Jessie C. Shandrew; song, Lost, Gabriel, Miss Spencer; clarinet solo,—Mr. Staats; humorous recitation—Jessie C. Shandrew; song,—Thou Everywhere, Lachner, Miss Spencer, with clarinet obligato by Mr. Staats.

This concert was one of the finest ever given here and the managers should receive the thanks of the people for engaging this company.

Mrs. Jessie Couthui Shandrew is considered one of the best readers in the country and was greatly admired in all her selections.

Mr. Staats, the unrivalled clarinet soloist, was heartily encored on each of his selections as well as Miss Jennie Spencer, both responding to the repeated calls. Miss Jessie Downer was well received in both her solos.

The next entertainment will be given Dec. 27th by the famous Adamowski quartette, assisted by Miss Julia King, reader.

Exhibition Night of the People's Institute and Gymnasium.

The hall of the Union church was crowded to the utmost on Monday evening last, the occasion being the long-anticipated exhibition night of the People's Institute and Gymnasium.

Rev. Mr. Huckel in a few well chosen words spoke of the good work the Institute might do if it received the support that it should from the people, and introduced the entertainers in their turn.

The programme had been carefully prepared by an efficient committee and received the hearty approval of all present.

The first number was a piano duet by J. Herman Loud and J. H. Gutterson. Mr. Walker of Boston sang two very pretty selections in a rich and musical tenor, with Mr. Gutterson as accompanist. The young ladies from Dr. Sargent's gymnasium, Cambridge, who were to play such an important part in the evening's entertainment, headed by Miss Lucy Connell, the director of the ladies' classes in the Institute, marched on the stage with military precision and took their places for the Wand drill, going through the many difficult movements in a manner quite graceful manner. Then followed a song by Miss Angie Gutterson. Three young men from the Boston Y. M. C. U. with Mr. J. H. Hird, the physical director of the men's and boys' classes at the Institute, as leader, performed some wonderful feats on the parallel bars, showing much strength and agility.

A drum solo by J. Herman Loud with J. H. Gutterson as accompanist was heartily applauded, and a talk on Physical Culture by Dr. Otis, physical examiner of the Y. M. C. U., proved of much interest as well as being very instructive. Dr. Otis had a happy way of telling his auditors truths about the care of the body and the necessity of physical training, which held the attention of even the small boys who usually are so restless during such an address. He showed that the object of gymnasium work was to develop people symmetrically and to keep them in good health. It was not to make professional gymnasts, but to make full chested and able-bodied men and women. We live a sort of artificial life—too much in-doors, too sedentary, too much in bad air and over-heating. The gymnasium helps to remedy these things. It also helps to give weight to thin men and diminish weight for fat men. It tended to make men normal. As much as we need to educate our minds in school, and our hearts in church, so we need to educate and develop our bodies in gymnasium work. Modern educational thinking is all rapidly drifting in this sensible direction.

The young ladies' exercises with the Indian Clubs were faultlessly done and won the admiration of the entire assembly and the Del Sarte movements at the conclusion of these exercises were very prettily executed.

A fencing tourney of about five minutes showed the careful training and dexterity of the participants and met the approval of all, especially one small boy who was heard to remark that he "wished they would fight some more."

This exhibition night was certainly a very great success and it remains with the people of Weymouth and Braintree to make the Institute itself as successful as such an enterprise warrants.

OBITUARY.

Francis E. Loud a Life-long Resident and Business Man of Weymouth.

Mr. Francis E. Loud, a life resident of Weymouth, died Monday Dec. 12th after a short illness of only one week. His death was caused by apoplexy of which he had a light attack in August, 1888 and since then he had been in impaired health. A second attack on Monday Dec 5th, 1892 was very much more severe and he only lived one week, dying last Monday morning.

Francis Eliot Loud was born August 2nd 1836, in the little old house on the top of what is known as "Loud's Hill." He gained his education in Weymouth, finishing at the old Weymouth Academy. Upon coming of age he entered into the grain business with his brother Joseph. He was afterward partner of the late John C. Rhines in the lumber business. Afterwards he was alone for a while in the same business in the same old place and then took Mr. Edwin Pratt as a partner, under the firm name of Loud & Pratt. Last summer they sold the business to W. F. Sanborn & Co., Mr. Loud refer Mr. Sanborn was with him for about 30 years in the pleasantest relations and when the business was sold to the younger Mr. Sanborn Mr. Loud felt such a reliance and confidence in him as to make the transfer very satisfactory to him. His relations with Mr. Pratt were extremely pleasant. During the greater part of this connection he was at the office very little, Mr. Pratt really doing most of the business alone.

He united with the Old North church in 1842 when at the age of 26; was elected deacon in 1861 and held the office about 25 years. During the last few years his extreme deafness prevented any participation in the services of the church, but it was nevertheless his habit to attend regularly when his health permitted

Mr. Loud leaves a widow, two daughters and a son, the latter a professor in the Colorado Agricultural College. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. E. L. Howe of South Weymouth, widow of the late Appleton Howe, M. D., and Miss H. T. Loud of Boston. He has left an estate that with the most liberal and careful estimate will net something under $50,000.

The funeral was from the late residence of the deceased yesterday afternoon and was largely attended by the relatives and wide circle of friends resulting from his long career.

Rev. W. W. Kendall, pastor of his church officiated.

The bearers were A. J. Richards, Benj. F. Richards, W. W. Richards and Henry Willoby.

Funeral of Mr. E. C. Porter.

The funeral of Mr. Edgar C. Porter was held last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. B. F. Eaton officiated and paid an eloquent tribute to the manly qualities of the deceased. Music was furnished by the Weber quartette.

Beautiful floral offerings were in abundance and were sent by Delta Lodge F. and A. M., the Weymouth Improvement association, First Universalist Parish, from business friends in Boston and elsewhere, and from friends and neighbors.

The bearers were furnished by Delta Lodge and were E. F. Sterling, F. H. Mason, Howard Poole, J. F. Sheppard, John E. Hunt, David J. Pierce, Peter B. Lawson and A. M. Bachelder.

The interment was in Mount Wollaston cemetery.

The Co-operative Concert Course.

The list for the Co-operative Concert course, East Weymouth, is as follows and should be well patronized:

Dec. 21, Clark Comedy Co., Eva's Caprice; Miss Annie Frank Libby, harpist; Banks M. Davison, pianist.

Dec. 28, Rev. J. J. Lewis, Illustrated lecture, Switzerland.

Jan. 11, Lyceum Ladies' Orchestral club; Miss Ella Boardman, balladist; Miss Julia King, reader.

Jan. 25, Miss Lillian Carlismith with the Arena Concert Co.

Feb. 8, The Apollo Male quartette; C. T. Grilley, humorist; Miss Gertrude Lovering, reader.

Reserved seats for the course $1.00 and $1.50. Single admission 50 cents.

Reunion.

The class of '70 of the N. H. S. held its third annual re-union at the home of Mrs. Fred Douglas (nee Miss Ada White) Rockland on Dec. 9, 1892.

A majority of the class was present. The first of the evening the class was entertained by music, recitations and select readings, after which the hostess invited the guests to the dining room where a dainty supper was served. The class was then called to order by the president and new officers elected for the coming year.

The evening was delightfully spent by all, and will ever be remembered, with pleasure, as they pass along the voyage of life.

Lovell's Corner.

—Work has been commenced on the new granite quarry back of the premises of Thomas Barnes, near Pine street.

—The monthly meeting of the Temperance union was held last Friday evening. Rev. Mr. Reece of East Braintree gave the address.

—A bean supper and concert was the attraction at the Porter church last Wednesday evening.

—F. Dexter Pratt's store is very attractive with the fine display of holiday goods.

—A Sunday-school concert is in preparation at the Porter church. It will be given Christmas evening and will be in charge of Miss Jessie Stewart.

Bucklens Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 c. per box. For sale by A. M. Bachelder.

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AN OLD-TIME INSTITUTION.

The Weymouth Savings Bank Takes a New Lease of Life and becomes Progressive While Still Conservative in its Methods.

The Weymouth Savings bank is one of the best-known institutions in this vicinity. For more than forty years it remained in the rooms it has but recently vacated. The bank during its long existence has had but four treasurers, Thomas R. Hanson, Peter H. Cushing, Amos S. White, and the present incumbent, Chas. T. Crane.

In the old days—it was organized in 1833—it was financially strong and was the chosen repository for the safe keeping of savings for the country around. There came a time, however, when from various causes the bank was somewhat weakened and this period, which was an anxious time to the depositors, will be well remembered by many who had their little all laid away there as a safeguard against future want and poverty. No one of the depositors lost a dollar, however, the bank rallying under most excellent management, and today is stronger than ever before.

For a long time after the crisis had been safely passed the management was very conservative indeed and expenses were kept at the lowest possible point. For some time now, however, signs of more vigor, of renewed life, and of more liberal management have been noted, finally resulting in the purchase of Nye's block in Washington square for a future home.

The first floor of this building, where A. M. Bachelder & Co., had kept their store—has been completely renewed, partitions have been torn down and others put up, painters and decorators were seen busily at work and the result is that the Weymouth Savings bank now has the most elegant and convenient banking rooms of any savings bank in the vicinity. The following is a very brief description of

THE ROOMS AND VAULTS.

The main room is in the front of the building and contains the same large window looking on the street as when it was used for a drug store and on them is displayed in large letters "Weymouth Savings Bank." The room is 24x22 feet in size and 12 feet high. The walls and ceiling are beautifully painted and frescoed, the artist being W. F. Pursche, the same one who did such beautiful work in the new Tufts Library building, and who recently beautified the home of Mr. E. S. Hunt and also did some fine work for Mr. Francis Ambler and Mr. C. A. Clapp, all of this place.

The counters and furniture are of oak. The desks, a roll-top, a large double standing centre and a small flat-top one, were made by the Pond Desk Co., and are fine specimens of oak furniture. The wire grating over the counter, which is very strong and high enough to keep out any burglar, was made by Morse & White.

In the north-west corner of the main room is the new vault, built up from the cellar with a solid stone foundation. The walls of the vault are of brick and are thick enough to prevent fire from reaching or scorching the contents. The inside of the vault is 5 1-2x8 1-2 feet and 8 1-2 feet high, making it a very spacious strong-room for the storage of valuable papers which it is desirable to place beyond the possibility of destruction by fire. The heavy iron door is from the National Safe & Lock Co. Inside, at the rear of the vault, stands a small safe from the firm of W. C. Ireland & Co. On each side and at the rear are shelves and pigeon holes for the convenient separation and classification of books and papers.

Back of the main office is the trustees' room, 12x25 and 12 feet high. A large and solid oak table is in the centre under a chandelier. Around the room are eighteen leather cushioned oak chairs from Paines' Furniture Co., and which were purchased of the well-known salesman and our fellow-townsman, George Miles. This room is also beautifully frescoed and the floor is covered by a Brussels carpet, which with the various rugs about the room came from Webster, Folger & Co., of Boston. From this room opens the toilet room. There are two rooms back of the banking rooms which are at present unoccupied.

The rooms are heated by a new furnace from C. H. White & Co., of Boston, and are well provided with electric lights. In fact, to make a long story short, the rooms are fitted with every convenience and a great deal of taste has been displayed by the management in the arrangements and in the selection of the furniture.

THE STANDING OF THE BANK.

The standing of the bank financially is now very strong. The management is conservative and looks for perfect security of investments rather than for large profits.

The president is Amos A. Nash; treasurer, Chas. T. Crane; board of investment, Henry A. Nash, Edwin Pratt, A. A. Bates, J. W. Hart, Wm. H. Capen.

A semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. and an extra dividend of 1 1-2 per cent. for three years, have been declared and are payably the first Monday in January next.

Literary Notes.

With its heavy burden of superb Colored Supplements; of mounted pictures; of groups of noted horses; of short stories; of original drawings and of illustrations; of prize articles; of engravings for fashion and turf writers, and last but by no means least, beautifully designed cover in colors, the Christmas Number of the American Horse Monthly has arrived at this office. It is one of the most interesting Holiday Papers it has been our duty and pleasure to criticise. It's columns contain a specially charming series of illustrated Short Stories by well known writers, all signed with autographs in fac-simile. These stories are good reading for everyone, are not purely tales of the turf, but rather tales of the horse. We notice that every page contains illustrations and engravings, all cleverly executed. The Christmas Number with its hundred pages has not one dull line in it, and indeed it is more of a bound and illustrated volume than a magazine. The subject matter is of interest to all, and even ladies will find much to please them. The paper reaches here carefully inclosed in a large envelope, so that the ten handsome Supplements arrive uninjured. The price is only twenty-five cents, and orders can be left at this office, or sent direct to the American Horse Monthly Co., Detroit, Mich.

Your attention is called to the timeliness of topics discussed in the December Arena by master brains and representative thinkers. Compulsory Education, Government Ownership of Railways, The Opening of the World's Fair on Sunday, The Rapid Spread of Occultism in Paris, Evictions in New York, Are we socialists?, Religious Persecution in Tennessee: These are all live topics, with which even the busiest of thoughtful persons are more or less interested; while among subjects more strictly literary in character will be found: A Chinese Mystic, Whittier and Tennyson, Religious Thought of Colonnial Days, The Defense of Shakespeare, by the eminent Shakespearean scholar, Dr. A. Nicholson, and Miss Dromgoole's charming little Christmas Story. We would further note the breadth of thought and the conspicuous fitness of the authors represented to discuss the subjects in hand, as for example: Bishop J. L. Spalding on the World's Fair; Rev. Lyman Abbott, so strong an advocate of universal justice, on Compulsory Arbitration, Napoleon Ney, distinguished among thoughtful Frenchmen, and a grandson of the French marshal, on the Occult in Paris; T. V. Powderly on Government Ownership of Railways; so important a work as the story of a woman adventurer, unattended by any white person, penetrating the wilds of Africa, calls forth words of criticism and appreciation from such eminent persons as Sir Edwin Arnold, Professor Swing, Col. Knox and Col. McMichael. Special attention should be given to Mr. Medjuinin's startling paper on Evictions in New York. This is the first paper of a series of discussions on Social Problems of To-day. The December Arena is an earnest of what the Arena will be during 1893, the foremost progressive and reformative magazine of the age.

The verses, "To Columbus Dying," which were printed in last week's issue and which bore the signature "M" should have had no signature affixed as the author of the poem was unknown to our friend who kindly sent it here for publication.

Incorporated.

A charter of incorporation has been granted the Braintree Wood & Lumber Co., capital stock, $6000. John Kelley, president and Edward Billings, treasurer. Messrs John Kelley and Geo. Fogg this week purchased all the machinery of a steam saw mill at Orange, Mass., which will be removed to their lot here in Braintree and a saw mill erected. The work of cutting the wood has already been commenced and parties wishing wood are invited to read the company's ad in this paper.

Church Wedding.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Lillian Eugenie, daughter of Mr. Howard M. Dow, to Mr. Albert Woodbury Dow, Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, at 7.30 o'clock, at the First Congregational church, North Weymouth, Mass.

Reception.

Appreciating the services of Eben S. Draper, Esq., chairman of the republican state committee, other members of the committee have arranged a reception and banquet in his honor which will be held at the American house in Boston, on Friday evening, Dec. 23.

Ripans Tabules: see advertisement.

ROSTON THEATRES.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—The wide spreading influence of the newspapers of this country finds graphic and accurate portrayal in "The Power of the Press," the next week will be presented at the Grand Opera House by Augustus Piton's own well chosen company. On two occasions in this city has this modern melodrama been received enthusiastically by theatre patrons of Boston and the neighboring towns and cities. As time in all matters, and especially in dramatic, affords opportunity for improvement and to rectify short comings, if there are any, the production of "The Power of the Press" as it will be presented next week can reasonably be expected to be the best ever seen on the stage of a Boston Theatre. Mr. Piton's company has been selected with a liberal hand and lovers of the drama will find in the production at the Opera House everything on a high plane, beautifully and dramatically set before them.

PARK THEATRE.—The second week of Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" at the Park Theater, began as enthusiastically last Monday in point of numbers and genuine appreciation of the performance, as the management could most fondly wish. Everybody laughs at the funny incidents, which the American author handles so cleverly, and with such telling effect. They cannot help it. At the same time by his very pathetic incidents, the author moves his audience to the very verge of tears, and then cheats them out of it by the most unexpected and funny situation. One example of this is where the town drunkard "Mink" finds the minister's daughter cold and exhausted in the snow. It is outside the church, and within, the minister is saying: "Rum makes man a brute." Just then, staggering "Mink" carries the forsaken girl off on his shoulders up, painters and decorators were seen busily at work and the result is that the Weymouth Savings bank now has the most elegant and convenient banking rooms of any savings bank in the vicinity. The following is a very brief description of

THE ROOMS AND VAULTS.

The main room is in the front of the building and contains the same large window looking on the street as when it was used for a drug store and on them is displayed in large letters "Weymouth Savings Bank." The room is 24x22 feet in size and 12 feet high. The walls and ceiling are beautifully painted and frescoed, the artist being W. F. Pursche, the same one who did such beautiful work in the new Tufts Library building, and who recently beautified the home of Mr. E. S. Hunt and also did some fine work for Mr. Francis Ambler and Mr. C. A. Clapp, all of this place.

The counters and furniture are of oak. The desks, a roll-top, a large double standing centre and a small flat-top one, were made by the Pond Desk Co., and are fine specimens of oak furniture. The wire grating over the counter, which is very strong and high enough to keep out any burglar, was made by Morse & White.

In the north-west corner of the main room is the new vault, built up from the cellar with a solid stone foundation. The walls of the vault are of brick and are thick enough to prevent fire from reaching or scorching the contents. The inside of the vault is 5 1-2x8 1-2 feet and 8 1-2 feet high, making it a very spacious strong-room for the storage of valuable papers which it is desirable to place beyond the possibility of destruction by fire. The heavy iron door is from the National Safe & Lock Co. Inside, at the rear of the vault, stands a small safe from the firm of W. C. Ireland & Co. On each side and at the rear are shelves and pigeon holes for the convenient separation and classification of books and papers.

Back of the main office is the trustees' room, 12x25 and 12 feet high. A large and solid oak table is in the centre under a chandelier. Around the room are eighteen leather cushioned oak chairs from Paines' Furniture Co., and which were purchased of the well-known salesman and our fellow-townsman, George Miles. This room is also beautifully frescoed and the floor is covered by a Brussels carpet, which with the various rugs about the room came from Webster, Folger & Co., of Boston. From this room opens the toilet room. There are two rooms back of the banking rooms which are at present unoccupied.

The rooms are heated by a new furnace from C. H. White & Co., of Boston, and are well provided with electric lights. In fact, to make a long story short, the rooms are fitted with every convenience and a great deal of taste has been displayed by the management in the arrangements and in the selection of the furniture.

THE STANDING OF THE BANK.

The standing of the bank financially is now very strong. The management is conservative and looks for perfect security of investments rather than for large profits.

The president is Amos A. Nash; treasurer, Chas. T. Crane; board of investment, Henry A. Nash, Edwin Pratt, A. A. Bates, J. W. Hart, Wm. H. Capen.

A semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. and an extra dividend of 1 1-2 per cent. for three years, have been declared and are payably the first Monday in January next.

Literary Notes.

With its heavy burden of superb Colored Supplements; of mounted pictures; of groups of noted horses; of short stories; of original drawings and of illustrations; of prize articles; of engravings for fashion and turf writers, and last but by no means least, beautifully designed cover in colors, the Christmas Number of the American Horse Monthly has arrived at this office. It is one of the most interesting Holiday Papers it has been our duty and pleasure to criticise. It's columns contain a specially charming series of illustrated Short Stories by well known writers, all signed with autographs in fac-simile. These stories are good reading for everyone, are not purely tales of the turf, but rather tales of the horse. We notice that every page contains illustrations and engravings, all cleverly executed. The Christmas Number with its hundred pages has not one dull line in it, and indeed it is more of a bound and illustrated volume than a magazine. The subject matter is of interest to all, and even ladies will find much to please them. The paper reaches here carefully inclosed in a large envelope, so that the ten handsome Supplements arrive uninjured. The price is only twenty-five cents, and orders can be left at this office, or sent direct to the American Horse Monthly Co., Detroit, Mich.

Your attention is called to the timeliness of topics discussed in the December Arena by master brains and representative thinkers. Compulsory Education, Government Ownership of Railways, The Opening of the World's Fair on Sunday, The Rapid Spread of Occultism in Paris, Evictions in New York, Are we socialists?, Religious Persecution in Tennessee: These are all live topics, with which even the busiest of thoughtful persons are more or less interested; while among subjects more strictly literary in character will be found: A Chinese Mystic, Whittier and Tennyson, Religious Thought of Colonnial Days, The Defense of Shakespeare, by the eminent Shakespearean scholar, Dr. A. Nicholson, and Miss Dromgoole's charming little Christmas Story. We would further note the breadth of thought and the conspicuous fitness of the authors represented to discuss the subjects in hand, as for example: Bishop J. L. Spalding on the World's Fair; Rev. Lyman Abbott, so strong an advocate of universal justice, on Compulsory Arbitration, Napoleon Ney, distinguished among thoughtful Frenchmen, and a grandson of the French marshal, on the Occult in Paris; T. V. Powderly on Government Ownership of Railways; so important a work as the story of a woman adventurer, unattended by any white person, penetrating the wilds of Africa, calls forth words of criticism and appreciation from such eminent persons as Sir Edwin Arnold, Professor Swing, Col. Knox and Col. McMichael. Special attention should be given to Mr. Medjuinin's startling paper on Evictions in New York. This is the first paper of a series of discussions on Social Problems of To-day. The December Arena is an earnest of what the Arena will be during 1893, the foremost progressive and reformative magazine of the age.

The verses, "To Columbus Dying," which were printed in last week's issue and which bore the signature "M" should have had no signature affixed as the author of the poem was unknown to our friend who kindly sent it here for publication.

Incorporated.

A charter of incorporation has been granted the Braintree Wood & Lumber Co., capital stock, $6000. John Kelley, president and Edward Billings, treasurer. Messrs John Kelley and Geo. Fogg this week purchased all the machinery of a steam saw mill at Orange, Mass., which will be removed to their lot here in Braintree and a saw mill erected. The work of cutting the wood has already been commenced and parties wishing wood are invited to read the company's ad in this paper.

Church Wedding.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Lillian Eugenie, daughter of Mr. Howard M. Dow, to Mr. Albert Woodbury Dow, Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, at 7.30 o'clock, at the First Congregational church, North Weymouth, Mass.

Reception.

Appreciating the services of Eben S. Draper, Esq., chairman of the republican state committee, other members of the committee have arranged a reception and banquet in his honor which will be held at the American house in Boston, on Friday evening, Dec. 23.

Ripans Tabules: see advertisement.

Masonic.

Masonic hall, East Weymouth, held as large a number of eminent masons Tuesday night, as have never been gathered within its walls. The occasion was the visit of D. D. Grand High Priest, John A. Fogg and suite to Pentalpha R. A. chapter. Following are the members of the suite: D. D. C. H., Amos G. Poole; E. K. Thomas Kellog; E. S., A. R. Sheppard; G. T., William Pierce; G. S., Henry Kenney; chaplain, Rev. J. E. Wenen; C. G., Charles I. Litchfield. Delegations were present from Pilgrim, Samoset, St. John's, St. Andrew's and St. Stephen's chapters.

The "most excellent" degree was worked following which was an entertainment with the celebrated Boylston quartette as entertainers. At the close of the entertainment, 175 R. A. Masons sat down to the grand banquet, after which was a flow of wit and reason. Among the most able speakers were Frank B. Arnold and Hon. Alfred S. Pinkerton, president of the state senate. At 1.30 a. m. the visitors from abroad took their departure on a special train which had been engaged for the occasion.

2,228,672.

These figures represent the number of bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which were sold in the United States from March, '91 to March, '92. Two Million, Two Hundred and Twenty-Eight Thousand, Six Hundred and Seventy-Two bottles sold in one year, and each and every bottle was sold on a positive guarantee that money would be refunded if satisfactory results did not follow its use. The secret of its success is plain. It never disappoints and can always be depended on as the very best remedy for Coughs, Colds, etc.

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that so many otherwise attractive, polite, and particular people afflict their friends by the foul and disagreeable odor of their breath; it is mainly caused by disordered digestion, and can be corrected by removing the cause, by using that pure medicine, Sulphur Bitters.—*Health Magazine.*

Marriages and Deaths.

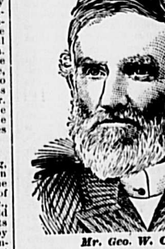
DIED.

In South Weymouth, December 5, Cora B., wife of Frank E. Hilton, aged 21 years, 8 months, 6 days.

In Weymouth, December 7, Ellen, wife of John Riley, aged 58 years, 5 months.

In Weymouth, December 10, Thomas Doran, aged 39 years, 10 days.

In Weymouth, December 12, Francis E. Loud, aged 76 years, 4 months, 10 days.



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Great Suffering
After the Grip

Tremendous Roaring in the Head —Pain in the Crown.

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"Two years ago I had a severe attack of the Grip, which left me in a terribly weak and debilitated condition. Last winter I had another attack and was again very badly off, my health nearly wrecked. My appetite was all gone, I had no strength. I felt tired all the time, had disagreeable roaring noises in my head, like a waterfall. I also had severe headaches and
All Severe Sinking Pains
in my stomach. I took medicine without benefit, until, having heard so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, I concluded to try it, and the result is very gratifying. All the disagreeable effects of the Grip are gone, I am free from pains and aches, and believe
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Under Hotel Wessagusset will open
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A share of the public patronage solicited. Every thing first class. Minors not permitted to come here without permit from parents.
56 1t BORICK WHITE, Proprietor.

South Weymouth Savings Bank.

The annual meeting of the South Weymouth Savings Bank will be held at the Bank on MONDAY, January 23d, 1892, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the choice of officers and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the corporation.

A. E. VINING, Treasurer.
South Weymouth, Dec. 9, 1892. 56 3t

Reynolds Post 58 Corporation.

EAST WEYMOUTH, Dec. 12th, 1892.

Members of Reynolds Post 58 Corporation are hereby notified that in conformity with its By-Laws, the annual meeting of said Corporation for the election of officers and the transaction of other important business, will be held at Grand Army Hall, East Weymouth, Tuesday evening, Dec 27th, 1892, at 7.30 o'clock. Full attendance is requested.

BENJ. S. LOVELL, President.
CHARLES W. HASTINGS, Clerk. 56 1t

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The estate of the late Dr. George W. Fay, Broad Street, East Weymouth. Will be sold on reasonable terms.
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Fogg's Opera House,
Tuesday, December 20, 1892,

PROGRAMME.

PART I.
1. Opening Chorus, (Arranged for the Norfolk Club.) By the Company. Lakeman
2. Hole Me Down, W. L. BATES. Snow
3. I'll Await My Love, C. T. FOSTER. Howard
4. Honey, I'll Never Leave You, NATH'L A. SHAW. Jerome
5. I'm Going to be a Soldier, W. A. ALLEN. Lakeman
6. Don't Forget there's a Wedding To-night, W. C. HOUSTON. Ballou
7. Hymn His Mother Sang, LESTER BATES. Douglas
8. Sarah Jane Matilda, W. D. LOVELL. Lakeman
9. Final—Colored Four Hundred—by the Company.

PART II.
1. Crystal Wave Waltz, Norfolk Banjo and Guitar Club. Babb
2. C. E. Clisbee. W. E. Gray. E. C. Barker. V. W. Fuller.
2. Bicycle Races.
3. Topical Song—There are Moments. W. D. LOVELL.
4. Clog Dance. DAN HALEY.
5. A Trip to Darktown, BANJO CLUB. Herbert Gray
6. Bicycle Race.
7. Governor's Lady Guard. Lakeman

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Reserved Seats, 75, 50 and 35c.
General Admission, 25c.
Reserved seats for sale at C. H. Tinkham's.
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MRS. M. C. NASH
—WILL HOLD HER—
Annual Sale of Holiday Goods
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Painting Done to Order. Also Lessons Given in Painting.
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South Weymouth Post Office.

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Mails Depart.—7.21 A. M. for Boston; 9.07 A. M. for Plymouth (R. P. O.); 10.20 A. M. for Boston; 12.44 P. M. for Boston (R. P. O.); 4.31 P. M. for Boston; 5.15 P. M. for Plymouth (R. P. O.); 7.52 P. M. for Boston (R. P. O.)

Mails close 15 minutes before time of departure, and the same time is required to open for delivery.

Advertised Letters.
J. F. Buck, Mr. Frank J. Burke,
Mr. John Cambell, postal,
Mr. L. B. Reed, postal, Mrs. Oscian Sharp,
Mr. O. A. Sharpe, postal.

When calling for letters, call for advertised. If not called for in ten days, these letters will be forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D. C.

A. E. VINING, Postmaster.
Dec. 15, 1892.

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Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stip ulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week

First Baptist Church (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; Mass Temperance meeting in auditorium at 7.30 p. m. to be addressed by Rev. Alfred Noon, of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society. All are cordially invited.

Union Church (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. Oliver Huckel, pastor. Next Sunday, service with sermon at 10.30. Sunday-school at noon. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Evening service omitted. A cordial welcome to these services.

Trinity Church (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.; and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school after the morning service. Subject of the sermon in the morning, "Some Prophecies yet to be Fulfilled before the Second Coming of Christ"; evening, "The Church Catechism and Confirmation."

Church of Immaculate Conception (East Weymouth)—Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.; Vespers 4.00 p.m.

Porter M. E. Church (Lovell's Corner) Rev. E. E. Phillips, pastor. Sunday-school at 12.45 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m; prayer meeting at 7 p. m. tf

Methodist Episcopal Church (East Weymouth), Rev. J. H. McDonald, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Epworth League 6.00 p. m.; evening service, 7.00 p. m.

Old North Church (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; evening service 6.30 p. m. Strangers, new-comers, all who have no church are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all, a part for all. A welcome for all.

Church of St. Francis Xavier (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 10.30 a. m.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 9.00 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

Congregational Church (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p. m.; Social service at 7 p. m.

Church of Christ, Universalist (South Weymouth)—Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Preaching service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Young People's meeting at 7. All are cordially welcome. tf

Temperance Hall, (East Weymouth)—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

Pilgrim Congregational Church (North Weymouth).—Rev. Allan B. Hudson, pastor. Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school with pastor's Bible class at 10.30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m. Young People's service at 6 p. m., and union evangelistic service, at which all christians are invited to attend and participate, at 7 p. m.

Universalist Church (Weymouth.)—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday, "Universal Peace"; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

Universalist Church (North Weymouth) Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Subject for next Sunday, "Universal Peace"; Sunday-school at 1.15 p.m. Y. P. C. U. at 7.00 p. m.

Old South Church (South Weymouth) Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., public worship followed by Sunday-school; 2 p. m., adjourned church meeting; 7 p.m., evening service.

District Court.

Hon. James Humphrey, justice.

The case against Alphonse Grande for assault on Emelo Ventre was again continued till Dec. 24.

The liquors seized from Thomas Lonergan of East Weymouth were forfeited.

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Weymouth Heights.

—The "4" W. C. T. U., connected with the Old North society, held one of its unrivalled social meetings at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunt, on the evening of the ninth, by invitation of their daughter, Miss Mercy M. Hunt. It is, of course, unnecessary to state that the occasion was a highly enjoyable one. Our "4" socials are the most pleasant gathering of the village life and this last one was certainly up to the standard. The friends, who numbered thirty-four, arrived about eight o'clock and the literary and musical part of the evening's programme was at once carried out. Miss Alice Humphrey, of this village, read two selections in her usual pleasing style; Miss Abby Bates rendered a classical piano solo to the great enjoyment of all; Misses Annie Thompson and C. Evelyn Blanchard contributed a very pretty piano duet and Miss Hunt, president of the Y's, gave an effective rendering to one of the sweetest of alto songs. After an intermission pleasantly given up to the disposal of grapes, cake and "shrub" the very amusing game of "clothes pins" was indulged in to the infinite merriment of all present. The rivalry at length resulted in a close victory for Miss C. Evelyn Blanchard. The "animal, mineral or vegetable" game was also tried and elicited considerable laughter and competition; the most amusing feature being the asserted discovery of a new (?) state *west* of the Mississippi, by one of our stalwart republicans. The party broke up at a late hour in the jolliest of moods.

—Last week's paragraph with reference to the evening party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Wildes was, unfortunately, misrepresenting in one particular. The invitations were issued jointly by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Preston and not by Mrs. Preston alone, as reported.

—It is hoped that every one in the village will plan to attend the Christmas services at the church both morning and evening. The pastor will preach with especial reference to the day, and Mr. Arnold is preparing a select and appropriate musical programme. The evening will be devoted to the presentation of a Christmas programme by the Sunday-school, assisted by the choir in four choice selections. Contributions of wreaths and flowers are especially requested by the committee.

—Through the energetic efforts of Mr. Bolles, a new electric light has been located directly front of Samuel Thompson's residence. It is an improvement long worked for by the residents of that section and the timely petition circulated by Mr. Bolles resulted in the consummation of their hopes.

"Rex."

Nash's Corner.

—Mr. Joseph Cummings has sold a nice pair of bay horses to the town.

—Mrs. Clinton Nash who was reported last week as being very sick is much more comfortable at present.

—Tuesday morning a pet dog belonging to Mr. Henry Kelly was run over by O. Cushing's express in front of William Nash's store.

—Sunday evening quite an accident occured in front of the residence of Nathaniel Ells. A carriage containing six young men of Weymouth Landing collided with that of Professor Beal, the music teacher, and both were demolished. It was remarkably fortunate that not one of the occupants of either carriage was injured.

—The children of Samuel Rosse, who have been quite sick with fever, are slowly improving.

—The stores at Nash's Corner have an unusually fine stock of Christmas goods this season.

—Mrs. Wendall Shaw's mother who has been stopping in town for quite a while has returned to her home in Gloucester.

—S. S. Spear has recently had several incandescent lights put up in his factory.

—Master Harry Dyer was recently presented with an elegant piano lamp.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
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JOHN A. CONNELL,
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United Hospital and Dispensary, Boston, Mass.
Allen C. Smith, *Pres.*,

The Centaur Company, 77 Murray Street, New York City.

Weymouth Locals.

—Parents are finding a great deal of fault over the present signal of "No school," especially those living in the vicinity of Washington square, who say they cannot hear the bell. The signal as given formerly on the whistles at the various shoe factories was much better. Then everybody heard it.

—Thomas Doran, a well-known citizen of this place, was found dead in bed at his home on Common street, Saturday morning. The medical examiner pronounced the cause of death to be heart disease. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon and the interment was at the Catholic cemetery.

—Alfonzo D. Linton the young clerk at C. D. Harlow's pharmacy, has resigned and accepted a more lucrative position with Gilman Bros., wholesale druggists, Boston.

—Safety Lodge No. 95, New England Order of Protection, at their meeting, Tuesday evening nominated a list of officers to be balloted for at the next meeting.

—Samuel Curtis, one of our oldest and most esteemed citizens, is seriously ill, being confined to his bed, and his recovery is doubtful.

—The Institute concert tonight is The New York English Ballad Company. It is expected to be one of the finest entertainments of the course.

—Miss Mae Sheppard who sang so charmingly at Union church last Sunday will also be the soprano for next Sunday.

—Mrs. Connell of Cambridge, the physical director of the ladies' classes at the Institute, has already become exceedingly popular with her classes here. The classes are on Monday and Thursday afternoons, children at 3.30, ladies at 4.30. The drills are given with music. Several ladies have inquired about an evening class for ladies who are busy during the day. Such a class will be formed for Thursday evenings if there are fifteen who want to join. Names may be handed immediately to Emerson Hunt, superintendent, or sent by postal to him.

—Wm. Bowker has moved to East Weymouth.

—Mr. Hird expects to organize a fencing class of a dozen at the Institute very soon. The lessons will be given on Monday and Wednesday evenings at the close of the regular drills. The gymnasium is now open Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

—Scarlet fever continues to prevail here although there has been no deaths thus far from the disease it being of a very mild form. William Donton has a child very sick with the disease.

—There will be a temperance meeting in which all the churches excepting Trinity, will unite at the Baptist church, Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at 7.30. Rev. Alfred Noon secretary of the Massachusett's Total Abstinence society will deliver an address. All are invited.

—Herman L. Emerson left town yesterday for his former home at Marlborough, N. H., where he will stop over Sunday, starting Tuesday for Jacksonville, Florida, where he has accepted a position in a large drug store. It had been his intention to start last Saturday as was announced in this column last week but he was detained. The good words and the good wishes that we said of him then, go with him just the same.

—A lot of household goods will be sold at public auction at the residence of Joshua Binney on Washington street tomorrrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Joseph I. Bates will be the auctioneer.

—A. W. Baker has purchased a handsome pair of grey horses from F. A. Kennedy. We like to see a handsome team and it denotes a successful business when one is purchased.

—James T. Hunt has bought a violin of very fine quality, costing $250. Sweeter notes than ever may now be expected from Weymouth's young leader of orchestras.

—Rev. William Hyde preached at Union Chapel, South Hingham, last Sunday afternoon.

—A large and fine organ was put into the residence of E. S. Hunt this week. It will be run by a water motor.

—The old grey horse, Nellie, which has gone over the road to Boston on Baker's express for many years was killed this week.

—J. G. Worster & Co. have bought a handsome brown horse for their delivery wagon and now have as stylish a grocery wagon as can be desired.

—Major Elliott C. Pierce, president of the Thirteenth Mass. Regiment association, presided at the annual reunion held at the American house, Boston, Tuesday evening.

—John G. Worster is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

—A horse owned by a party named Fisher from North Weymouth was taken sick while driving through this village Monday and died in a short time.

—A party of young men from this place while driving to South Weymouth Sunday evening were run into and their carriage wrecked, but they all escaped with slight bruises.

—A social gathering was held at the residence of Miss Louise Peterson, on Vine street, in honor of Miss Maud A. Barry, who is about to depart for her home at Douglass, which proved a very pleasant affair. A bountiful collation was served; and the guests, departing at a late hour, wished Miss Barry success in all her undertakings and that she would visit Weymouth again soon.

—A number of the members of Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., attended an exemplification of the secret work of the order, held by the grand lodge, at Knights of Honor hall, Boston, last evening. A delegation was also present from Monatiquot lodge of Braintree.

—Arbutus Assembly, No. 18, Pythian Sisterhood, received an official visit from Grand Chancellor, Mrs. Henry C. Allen, of Boston, last Wednesday evening.

—Weymouth Council No. 747, Royal Arcanum held a special meeting Wednesday evening and installed one candidate.

—A large number of horses are sick with the distemper which is prevailing in town at present.

—Schooner Forest Belle from Machias with 110,000 feet of lumber for W. F. Sanborn & Co. arrived today.

—The board of engineers of the Fire department held their regular monthly meeting at Engine hall last evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Hunt entertained the Euchre club last Friday evening. The ladies' prize was bestowed upon Miss Trask, the gentlemen's upon Mr. L. W. Nash. The ladies' guest prize was awarded to Miss Macgregor and the gentlemen's guest prize to Mr. Harold Stevens of Braintree.

—Miss Sadie Peterson is here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson.

—Ralph D. Cecca has been visiting his uncle at Melrose this week.

—Humphrey Healey has accepted a position at Holliston.

—33,000 bushels of potatoes arrived in Boston last Wednesday and Thursday from the Provinces.

—So little interest is being taken by the High school Alumni of North Abington in their annual reunions that there is talk of letting them go by default or abandoning them altogether.

—Cleveland's plurality in New York state was 45,333, but the majority over all against him was 49,413.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—The engagement of Miss Jennie W. Rice to Mr. L. Winthrop Bates is announced.

—The Columbian Club held its regular meeting Monday night. I. M. Norcross, president, in the chair. Subject for discussion, "Are pensions a just debt of the government." The affirmative was opened by N. D. Canterbury and the negative by C. B. Cushing. The debate was quite a spirited one every member joining on one side or the other.

—At a meeting of the proprietors of the Congregational church held Saturday night it was voted to enlarge, improve and repair the church edifice. It was further voted to appoint a board of appraisers to appraise the house with a view to settlement with pew holders.

—At the annual meeting of the Reform Club, held Monday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Josiah Tirrell, president; Charles Cram, A. Lucas and Joshua Cook, vice-presidents; Mrs. Nelson Gardner, secretary; Fred Loring, treasurer; Mrs. Bagley, chaplain; Frank C. Pratt, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. H. B. Raymond, organist.

It was voted to invite the state convention of Reform clubs to meet in Temple of Honor Hall, East Weymouth, in January, and at that time the officers-elect of the home club will be installed by the state officers. Loring, Cook and Lucas were appointed a committee on entertainment.

—One of the busiest places in the village is the coal and grain establishment of T. H. Emerson. The people are patronizing home industry.

—Mrs. B. S. Lovell has been quite ill this week.

—The Co-operative course of entertainments being gotten up by the Junior Templars, embraces some of the finest talent to be had.

—An evening spent in listening to the lecture of Geo. W. Penniman, "The Heart of the Rockies," is a well spent evening, and the very few who gathered in Odd-fellows Opera House, Tuesday night to listen to it speak on the highest terms of both the lecture and beautiful illustrations.

—November was the largest month in the history of the John Mann Wool Scouring Works. 112 car loads passed through the scouring process.

—One of the most interesting debates of the season was held at the rooms of the Young Men's Social Club at its regular meeting Monday evening. The subject for discussion—"Was the life of Jay Gould a worthy example to be followed by young men?"—was debated on from the cradle to the grave. The affirmative and negative were both well equipped in their arguments and it can be said that for more than two hours the members were so interested that not one person left the room. The principal disputants were M. F. Greaney, P. F. Hughes, T. F. Egan, E. G. McGrath, C. J. McMorrow, Jr. and J. F. Fennell. At its next meeting Monday evening, the subject for debate will be "Should immigration be restricted?"

—The Pansy Circle, King's Daughters have arranged a fine entertainment and sale for next Monday night. It will take place in the vestry of the M. E. church.

—I. M. Norcross and Joseph A. Cushing, of the School Board, visited the schools of Lynn on Tuesday. They were entertained by Major Hayes, who occupied a seat by the side of Mr. Cushing when he was in the legislature.

—Miss Susie E. Raymond met with an accident while descending the stairs at her home, sustaining a bad sprain of one ankle.

—George Drew is still confined to his house but is improving.

—Miss Emma Frahar sang at the opening night of the G. A. R. fair now being held in Wareham.

—Mrs. Harriet Smith is confined to the house with a severe cold.

—By some means, not yet explained, the stable of Geo. W. Young was left in the dark by the electric lights, Wednesday evening.

—The ladies of the Unitarian society will have a sale and entertainment next Thursday and Friday nights. The first night's entertainment will be a minstrel concert, and the second night a Christmas operetta, "The Tables Turned." The sale will include a large variety of useful and fancy articles, cake, home made candy and ice cream.

—The Inasmuch circle of King's Daughters held its annual meeting last night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. John Soule, president; Miss Susie E. Raymond, vice-president; Miss Martha J. Hawes, secretary and treasurer.

—An enthusiastic meeting of the Ladies' Cemetery association was held at Mrs. R. V. Merchant's yesterday afternoon.

—The sale of fancy articles, cakes and home-made candy will be held each afternoon and evening, with ice cream added in the evening. Admission 20 cents, children under twelve, 10 cents.

—The improvements to be made in the Congregational church include a slight change in the front steps, outside, new circular pews, new ceiling, walls frescoed, gallery enlarged, more room about the altar, electric lights, excavation and addition to the vestry, house painted outside and roof shingled. The work will be begun at once and will be superintended by J. F. Vinal.

—The Garfield Lyceum will discuss the question of Woman Suffrage at its next meeting.

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North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Miss Millie Pratt entertained the members of the Y. P. S. C. E. in a very hospitable manner, at her home, on Friday evening of last week.

—O. P. Fisher lost a valuable horse this week.

—A large party of friends from Weymouth surprised Mr. and Mrs. Will Keefe at their residence on Bridge street, Saturday evening.

—A man by the name of Woodard is building a house on Norton street.

—Miss Eliza Hurley had a purse, containing quite a sum of money, stolen from her satchel while shopping in the city the other day. Women need to keep a watchful eye on their pocket-books during their search for holiday gifts.

—E. W. Torrey arrived home Sunday night from his tour among the Western states.

—Miss Bertha Barker has appeared behind the counter of J. W. Bartlett & Co.'s to assist during the rush of their holiday trade.

—Your presence at the entertainment in the Universalist church vestry this evening will help on a good cause.

—E. W. Adams discourses upon the scripture each Saturday evening before a considerable audience, in O. P. Fisher's tin shop. Oftimes one of his hearers will dispute a point that comes up and a hot discussion ensues, but the old gentleman is usually more than a match for his opponent. The talk is carried on in all seriousness and is probably not without benefit, the subject being one with which the ordinary man of to-day is none too familiar. Mr. Adams is one of the Christadelphian faith.

—Miss Lillian Curtis has returned home from Wellesley College for a Christmas vacation of three weeks.

—Rev. W. D. Leland, formerly pastor of the Pilgrim church, will supply a pulpit at Exeter, N. H., until April 1.

—The Sunday-school of the Congregational church is to have an entertainment and a Christmas tree Saturday evening, Dec. 23.

—Prof. Charles Bickford and Miss Ella Russell, readers, were announced for Dec. 13, in the S. & L. S. Lecture Course, given in the Universalist church. Nearly every seat in the auditorium was filled on that evening. The programme consisted of several readings by Prof. Bickford, and of two humorous sketches, in which these two artists made up the entire dramatis personal. The acting was good and the wit refined, but the choice of the selections might be criticized.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Circle meets Tuesday evening, Nov. 20, with Mrs. Augustus Beals.

—The Bradley Fertilizer Co. is doubling the number of electric lights in and about its works. The company has a plant of its own which will soon keep running about one hundred lights.

—A party of seven attended the entertainment given by the Tableaux D'Art Company, Tuesday evening, at Berkeley Temple, Boston.

—The Ladies' Sewing Circle will give an entertainment Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, in the vestry of the Pilgrim church. The services of Miss Blanche Harrington, reader; a celebrated harmonica and xylophone player, and a lady vocalist have been engaged. Ice cream and cake will be for sale.

—A pile of railroad ties, that has been carelessly placed at the head of Shaw street, should be removed at once. It is in the way, and may be the occasion of an accident, as it is not lighted up by the neighboring are light during the whole night.

—The meetings of the Social and Literary Union have not been very largely attended this year, but there are a few plucky and energetic members who are determined to carry on the work. The object is intellectual improvement by the reading of books, discussion of original papers, etc. New members will be heartily welcomed. A meeting was held Wednesday evening with Miss Cora Wilder and the subject of education in Massachusetts was considered.

—Reports of a fire in the wholesale boot and shoe store of Beals, Torrey & Co., Milwaukee, Wis., were published Monday in the Boston papers. Word has since been received here by those interested in the concern that the loss, which is estimated at $30,000, was due to water as the flames were confined to another portion of the same building. The firm has twice before gone through a similar experience. The loss is covered by insurance.

—The date now fixed upon for the ordination of Rev. Allan B. Hudson is Dec. 28. The examination will take place in the afternoon, and the ordination sermon will be delivered in the evening by Prof. Townsend of Boston University. It is expected that the Rev. George A. Gordan, D. D., of the New Old South church will also assist in the services.

—In addition to the large amount of holiday goods handled through the mail, B. F. Thomas is handling over his counter an extensive line of choice stationery, soaps, perfumery, bon-bon boxes, toys, books and celluloid goods, all of the highest order and in great variety.

Weymouth Centre.

—George Farrar is quite ill.

—Robert T. Shaw met with an accident Wednesday night crushing one of his fingers very badly.

—Tuesday is visitors' day at the Jefferson school. Parents and friends will find a cordial welcome.

—Francis Cushing has been confined to his house for nearly three weeks with the rheumatism.

—D. M. Easton has quite a curiosity in the way of an old play bill of the Boston Museum, dated 1851. Warren was then in his prime, but he and nearly all of the characters are gone. At the close of the play omnibuses ran to Roxbury, South Boston and Cambridge, and the fare was 12 1-2 cents.

—William Bowker moved into the house belonging to the Tirrell estate Tuesday.

—Frank D. Thayer has been suffering with an attack of la grippe.

—A party of young men from this village went to Boston last night to visit the Park theatre and took in the play "Temperance Town," which is considered one of Hoyt's best plays.

—Miss Grace Edmands has resigned her position at the store of R. T. Shaw.

—Martin L. Randall, a veteran of the war, has been granted a pension.

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South Weymouth Items.

—The directors of the Reckland & Abington Street Railway company had a meeting last Friday night to lay out work for the coming spring. In the absence of any report of that meeting, we are unable to say whether they will use their South Weymouth franchise at an early date or not.

—About twenty members of Wildey Lodge enjoyed a trip to Massassoit Lodge last Thursday evening. The weather proved stormy which prevented many from going, but those who went had a most enjoyable time.

—D. D. G. M. Henry A. Thomas and suite paid an official visit to Standish Lodge, Rockland, last Wednesday evening. A few of the members accompanied the suite and had the usual good time.

—Alma Cushing, who went to the hospital a short time ago on account of some trouble with the spine, is at home again. Although not entirely well she is very much improved.

—Work has begun on Fred Stewart's house on Pond street.

—The South High school foot ball eleven will play the Whitman High school eleven on Main street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. A good game is expected. The local eleven have been practicing some of the famous "Deland movements" and if they work successfully, will serve to make the play more interesting than heretofore.

—The boys have been enjoying a little skating this week. Great Pond has been frozen thick enough to skate on.

—Abigail Adams Lodge, D. of R., has accepted an invitation from Golden Star Lodge of Randolph and will visit them next Thursday evening, Dec. 22.

—A. S. Marsh, our local fish-dealer, has for some time past been troubled with one of his knees. Last Monday he went to the hospital to have an operation performed.

—There will be a meeting of the members of the Union church next Thursday evening, immediately after the regular prayer-meeting. This meeting is called for the purpose of selecting from the candidates a pastor for the church. This will be a very important meeting and every member who can, should make it a point to be there and vote.

—There will be a parish meeting in the vestry of the Union church next Friday evening, Dec. 23, at 7.30.

—Even if the two churches cannot agree to unite some of the members can.

—The excitement which has for a long time been among the members of the two churches and which was believed by many to have subsided still exists and may at any time break out anew.

—One of the greatest events of the season will be the Norfolk Minstrel entertainment. The club has engaged the services of Daniel Haley of Weymouth who will give specimens of clog dancing. He is well known and is a great attraction.

—"I will go if I have to sit on the floor" was the remark overheard the other day. The speaker referred to the Norfolk Minstrel entertainment. The Club has got a first class programme, as you will see by refering to another column. There are only one hundred numbered seats left, and if the speaker referred to above has not purchased his tickets, it looks as if his word would have to be verified. A special train will leave for South Braintree to connect with the 10.15 train for Boston.

—Fred Bailey of Nash's Corner bought out the business of H. W. Dyer and took possession of the same last Wednesday.

—Michael Leary has moved into his new house on Randolph street.

—J. A. Fogg is putting up a small building in the corner of his lot on Torrey street.

—Another charming and instructive lecture is to be given in Fogg's Opera House Saturday evening Dec. 24th, "Christmas eve," under the direction of Mr. J. B. McComber and management of J. A. Fogg. This lecture is entitled "Through London with Dickens" and will be delivered by Frank Oakes Rose of Chicago, who is the sole owner of this special set of stereoptican slides, which are not to be found elsewhere in this country or in England; nor can they be duplicated, a great many of the buildings illustrated having been obliterated. Mr. Rose takes the listener with him and points out to him the many places in London which had connection with Dickens and with those characters in his writings which are household words and names. Mr. Rose has no end of newspaper testimonials, embracing all the leading journals of the day, a reproduction of which in our columns might have its weight with some, but as caterer to the desires of all lovers of wholesome entertainment, the manager and director of this entertainment need no further testimonial than what has been shown by the columns of our own home papers and the unsolicited commendations of the partakers of past enjoyments. Especially is this true of children, who upon this, as well as past entertainments, have not been forgotten.

—Rev. Clarence T. Swift, of Saratoga Springs, will preach at the Union church next Sunday.

—Arthur M. Lobdell who recently started in the provision business in independence square, has sold out his entire business.

Pero's Correspondence.

—Dr. C. C. Tower and A. S. Vining are having a street cut through land that they purchased from Mrs. Blanchard which joins the estate of the doctor. Edgar Wright is doing the work and depositing the loam at the Park where it will be used in grading the track.

—There are many reasons why it is impossible to boom South Weymouth to any great extent. House lots, if there any, are too high for common people to buy and instead of encouraging people to build, the land is purchased by those who are abundantly able to prevent building. Second, it takes too much land for people to to live on. We know of four families who control 20 acres in the heart of the village for their own use which could be put into fifty house lots. Third, we have a board of select men or the majority of them who instead of encouraging business, drive citizens out of business and have done so the past year.

—The Committee who have charge of the Co-operative Course, are putting in talent that excels anything of the kind we have had in this village.

—Deacon Edward Lewis is still a great sufferer and at present mostly confined to the bed. For three long years he has suffered intense pain with a trouble at the knee joint having had many painful operations.

—A lady who was watching the papers for bargains saw that one of the large stores in Boston were selling a particular kind of a vase for one week only at the low price of 85 cents each. She purchased two and was very much astonished when she returned home to find that C. L. Rice was selling the same kind for 50 cents each.

—Blood-warm whiskey from pocket bar rooms is in great demand these chilly days.

—Messrs. Lobdell & Simons who opened a market in the village have closed up for want of patronage. The stock in trade was purchased by A. B. Raymond.

—There is considerable talk of our friend H. A. Thomas losing his office. He may lose that one but there are a hundred places waiting for a man of his ability. He has done a great deal for some young men in this village. I, for one democrat, hope he will remain where he is until he goes higher.

—Mrs. Josiah Reed is spending the winter with her daughter at Denver. Her fine residence is closed for the winter giving that part of the village a lonesome appearance.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hastings are traveling in Europe.

—Mrs. Minot Tirrell and Mrs. Alpheus Tirrell will spend the winter in Egypt. The fine residence of the latter will be closed for the winter. Pero.

Dedham Court and Registry Matters.

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 9, 1892.—The following are the latest real estate conveyances, as made in Braintree and Weymouth, and recorded in the Norfolk Registry at Dedham:

Edmund K. Appleton to Hiram G. Farr, Weymouth, for $1.

Fidelia Tirrell to George E. Tirrell and other, Weymouth, for $1,500.

L. Maria Simpson to Warren T. Simpson, Weymouth, for $1.

Joseph Adams to Seth Perkins and other, Weymouth, for $1.

Ella L. Riley and other to Thomas E. Riley, Weymouth, for $1.

David A. Harrington and other to Robert R. Stocker, Braintree, for $1.

John Reaseley to John E. Long, Braintree, for $1.

Albion P. Maxwell to Emma A. Doane, Braintree, for $1.

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 7, 1892.

George White, Judge of Probate, Erastus Worthington, clerk of courts, and Jonathan Cobb, register of probate, the board of examiners for the county of Norfolk this afternoon examined the returns of the votes cast in the one city and 26 towns of the county on Nov. 8, last for special commissioners and county commissioners. Their count is the official one. It is as follows:

	Willard Cleverly, Weymouth, Pro	John Q. A. Lothrop, Cohasset, Rep.	Henry A. Nash, Weymouth, Dem.	Scattering.	Blanks.
Avon	3	172	174	0	0
Bellingham	6	110	59	0	0
Braintree	14	435	367	0	104
Brookline	38	1079	896	2	0
Canton	6	325	432	0	94
Cohasset	4	253	123	0	41
Dedham	12	627	532	0	181
Dover	14	63	45	0	22
Foxboro	25	307	202	0	0
Franklin	33	500	308	0	83
Holbrook	11	264	223	0	74
Hyde Park	58	1001	712	0	0
Medfield	8	168	100	0	51
Medway	5	277	239	0	0
Millis	2	111	82	0	30
Milton	8	438	233	0	109
Needham	19	289	176	0	0
Norfolk	5	64	46	0	27
Norwood	13	383	308	0	297
Quincy	73	1414	1306	0	0
Randolph	8	313	449	1	0
Sharon	5	154	102	0	0
Stoughton	23	477	401	0	0
Walpole	16	240	207	0	0
Wellesley	13	246	222	0	56
Weymouth	115	980	1182	0	233
Wrentham	10	282	135	0	57
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The board of examiners certified to the election of Lothrop.

For special commissioners they find Everett J. Eaton of Needham, republican received 10,158; Joshua B. Hanners of Walpole, prohibition, 500; James S. Scott of Walpole, democratic, 8,078; Silas A. Stone of Sharon, republican 9,625; George O. Wentworth of Stoughton, democratic, 8,452; scattering, 6, and blanks 4,493. The board certified to the election of Eaton and Stone

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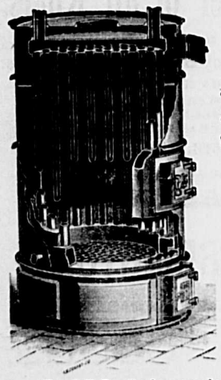

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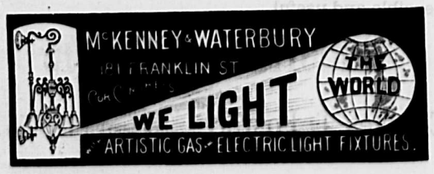

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BOWSER GETS READY TO GO TO CHURCH.

But After a Number of Preliminaries He Changes His Mind—Says He Won't Be a Hypocrite Anyway—The Worst Run House in America.

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The Sunday morning programme in the Bowser mansion differs considerably from the week day morning programme. At breakfast time Mr. Bowser says he isn't feeling very well and won't attend church. Half an hour later he guesses he will go. Fifteen minutes after that he has decided to remain at home. Mrs. Bowser replies that she has a headache, and also feels inclined to skip church service, but the words have hardly been uttered when Mr. Bowser remarks:

"We'll go to church, of course. I don't propose to allow our neighbors to class us among the heathen. It's an example we are to the world at large, even if we are not religiously inclined. I'll start about getting ready right away."

Mrs. Bowser draws a long sigh. She likes to go to church, but she dreads the preliminary exercises. The said exercises begin about thirty seconds after Mr. Bowser has disappeared up stairs. They invariably start off with:

"Oh, Mrs. Bowser!"

"Yes. What is it?"

"Have I got a change of shirts in this house, or have they been sold to the rag buyers?"

"Your shirts are in the second drawer of your dresser, of course!"

There were five of them lying there, but he had opened the drawer without seeing them as usual. He returns and discovers them, and nothing is heard from him for as much as two minutes. Then he suddenly yells:

"Mrs. Bowser, are you dead?"

"Well, what is it now?"

"Is my Sunday suit in the ash barrel, or did you give it to a tramp? I've looked the whole house over more than forty times, and it is not to be found!"

"SOCKS, MRS. BOWSER, SOCKS!"

"It is hanging up in your closet, of course."

He opens the door, and to his great surprise his best suit is hanging on the hooks before his eyes. He yanks each separate garment down and flings it on the bed, and then returns and peers around and rushes out to call over the baluster:

"Mrs. Bowser, will you ask the girl to look in the coal bin and hunt me out a collar? If you are going to keep 'em down there, why didn't you tell me and save me an hour's time?"

"Your collars are in the first drawer of your dresser. It is curious how blind a man is, even in the daytime!"

The collars are there, of course. They have been kept in that same drawer for seven years, but he never found them until after he had looked under the bed, in the closet and out in the hall. Mr. Bowser consumes about three minutes in getting into a collar, and then Mrs. Bowser is saluted with:

"Mrs. Bowser, will you kindly condescend to come up here? If so, you will put me under everlasting obligations!"

"Well, what is it?" she asks after toiling up stairs.

Mr. Bowser stands in the center of the room without coat, vest, socks or necktie, and with suspenders hanging off his shoulders.

"Socks, Mrs. Bowser, socks!" he whispers, with a wave of his hand, "I've been buying socks all my life! I've bought over a billion pairs! I ought to have at least one old sock, with a hole in the heel, around here somewhere, but where is it? I've hunted up stairs and down—on the roof and out in the back yard—but all in vain. Perhaps you will kindly"—

"See here!" she interrupted as she walked over to the dresser and pulled out a drawer. "Here are eight or ten pairs of socks! They have been kept in this drawer ever since we lived in the house! Why didn't you look in here?"

"I'm. I see!" he muttered. "Mrs. Bowser, don't play that trick on me again! I'm good nature itself, but I know when I'm imposed upon!"

"And now I suppose you've looked into the furnace, and out in the barn, and all over the alley after a necktie, and been unable to find one!" she demanded.

"Exactly, Mrs. Bowser! I've been hunting for two long hours, but I can't find what you have given the cook to kindle fires with!"

She pulled out one of the small drawers of the dresser, and five different neckties were revealed to Mr. Bowser's vision. Then she turned away and descended the stairs, and for four minutes not a sound was heard from Mr. Bowser. Then came an inquiry composed of N. O. molasses and cayenne pepper:

"My dear Mrs. Bowser, I am sorry indeed to trouble you, but will you look under the kitchen sink and see if you can find a pair of cuffs for me?"

"Didn't you find a collar in one of the drawers?" she demanded in reply.

"Yes, after two years of persistent search."

"Well, you have eight or ten pairs of cuffs in the same drawer!"

"Exactly. I see the drift of this thing!" muttered Mr. Bowser as he scattered the whole collection over the dresser to select a pair. To his own great amazement he happened to see his sleeve buttons as well, and to fit them into the clean cuffs without breaking down any doors or knocking off any plaster. To his further amazement he got into his coat and vest without the bedstead falling down or the lavatory exploding, but wonders suddenly ceased. He began to twist and hunch and growl, and then strode to the baluster and shouted:

"Is any living soul down stairs!"

"I am here, of course," replied Mrs. Bowser.

"Oh, you are! I didn't know but you had expired! Being you are still alive, might I presume to inquire what your particular object was in sewing up my coat and vest? Did you start out to make bags of them? Were you going to use those bags to hold catnip, smartweed and other herbs?"

Mrs. Bowser climbed the stairs and walked in on him again. As he squared off and hunched up his shoulders she said:

"Mr. Bowser, your suspenders are hanging about your knees! If you would remove your coat and slip them over your shoulders you would feel more comfortable."

When she had gone Mr. Bowser carefully dropped his Sunday coat on the floor, his vest at the foot of the bed, his pantaloons at the corner of the dresser. He tossed his cuffs into the closet, his necktie on the bed and got back into his everyday rig. Then he descended to the family room with great dignity.

"No, ma'am, I am no hypocrite! If a hypocrite belonging to this household wants to go to church and pretend to be interested in religious matters, she can go; but as for me, I will not dissemble. This is the worse conducted house in America, and I have to put up with more than any other husband on the face of the earth, but I will not play the hypocrite! You can go to church, and I will stay home and rip and cuss and tear around and get drunk and murder somebody."

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

An Embarrassing State of Affairs with the Clinch Valley Boys.

AN EMBARRASSING SITUATION.—When we were simply editor of THE KICKER the Clinch Valley cowboys were our friends and used to keep us dead broke by cooking us into that fascinating game called poker. We took in the town with the boys and were a boy among them. When elected mayor of the town we had to put on the brakes. It was not until after we had shot two or three of them that they would credit us with being serious. For the last six months the crowd has wanted our scalp. They have been afraid to come into town, and we have been afraid to ride through the Valley. Whenever we have heard of one within the town limits we have mounted our mule and had from two to six shots at him. Whenever we have taken the trail to the south we have been hustled back to town on the dead run. That is the present status of the case, and it is rather embarrassing all around. General Dawson, who has acquired the reputation of "The Arizona Peacemaker," left Clinch Valley yesterday to see if the chasm could not be bridged. We are willing to take a drink with the boys and bury the hatchet, though we must insist on their good behavior when in town. If they are tired of hunting for our ears the general will probably succeed in bringing about a state of peace. They are a hundred to one, but they must have learned by this time that we are no bluejay.

TOOK HIM SO.—When Professor Haven called on his honor the mayor (who is ourself) a week ago to secure a license to exhibit his panorama of Jerusalem and the Holy Land, we told him that our people were rather peculiar, and that he had better arrange to open with a dog fight and close with a mock battle in which about a dozen Apaches should be laid out. The professor was firm in his way and refused to be guided by our advice. His exhibition took place Monday evening to a full crowd, but he hadn't shown over half the walls of Jerusalem before the disappointed crowd rose up and began to shoot holes through his canvas and broke up the show. Later on they got the professor by the neck and made him return all the admission money. Just as we told him—they felt they had been defrauded. They wanted a combination of past and present—some dog fight, and then some walls of Jerusalem; some temples and tombs, and then a scrap between two lightweights. Had the professor followed our advice he would have cleared a pot of money and been invited to return at an early day. As it was, he lost about sixty dollars and came near being lynched for a traveling fraud. As a people we have our idioms, and it's no use to buck ag'in 'em.

AS AN EXPERIMENT.—An individual calling himself "Terrible Joe" came into town last week along with Colonel Davidson's drove of mules. The boys fought rather shy of him, as he had the look of a bad man. To his great surprise, Joseph learn't that church services were held in this town on Sunday, and that the editor and proprietor of THE KICKER passed the contribution box and led the choir. He gave out that he should try an experiment Sunday evening, and we were looking for him. Soon after the sermon had begun "Terrible Joe" stalked in and began to act like a bosh heier at a ward caucus. We let him go on for about three minutes and then we tackled him. We got our nose skinned and one eyebrow nearly knocked off, but after mopping Joseph around the house of the Lord for ten minutes we dragged him out and left him on the earth a humbled and contrite man. In fact, he didn't come to for about twenty minutes, and the first thing he wanted to know was if the other 72 mules in the colonel's drove had all kicked him with both feet at once. He had two guns, a knife and fifty spare cartridges, all of which we took possession of and shall sell at auction for the benefit of the road fund. It is perhaps needless to add that after overcoming Joseph we returned inside and pitched the tune of the closing hymn and led the singing with our usual zeal. We are not a member of the church. We swear and play poker and own a running mule and are wicked in other directions, but we know what belongs to decency and civilization. Any other critter who may itch to try a similar experiment will be certain to find us on deck and ready for business.

WE DRAGGED HIM OUT AND LEFT HIM.

IT IS ALWAYS THUS.

A Romance That Came to An Untimely End.

Suddenly, as the sobbing gusts were stilled for a moment, the soft notes of a man 5 feet 10 inches high, with hair inclined to crushed strawberry in color, penetrated the boudoir in which reclined Mrs. Colonel Templeton. The whistler whistled the air to:

A wealthy old widow named Hoyt
Fell in love with a chap in Beloit,
And he borrowed her cash,
And her heart he did smash,
And then skipped away for Detroit.

"It is he! It is the signal agreed upon!" exclaimed Mrs. Templeton as she sprang up off a couch which cost seventy-five dollars and pressed her hand upon her heart.

Again the whistle.

"I must go and meet him and tell him that I cannot, cannot do it!" she whispered. "The blow will crush him to earth, but it must be given."

"'SDEATH!" HE MUTTERED.

She threw a dainty wrap over her queenly head and graceful shoulders, looked into a Venetian mirror to see if the piece of courtplaster had slipped, and the next moment had opened a secret gate and stood in the alley.

"Flora!"

"George!"

"You know what it is for!" he said as he handed her a tomahawk with a red handle. "Do not strike until you are sure of your blow, and then strike home. I will see that the coroner's jury returns a verdict of 'suicide,' and after the funeral we will fly together."

"George, I cannot do it," she replied as she waved the tomahawk aside, regardless of the fact that it cost $1.50 at wholesale.

"You can't!" he almost shouted. "But you must! That was the agreement! You were to kill the colonel, rake in all the estate, and we were to fly together. There is the tomahawk. I threw up my job today! Go and do the killing act and then ring up 846, two rings, and inform me that 'tis done."

"George, listen to me," she almost fiercely replied as she laid a hand on his arm. "When I entered into that compact I had every reason to believe that Colonel Templeton no longer cared for me. I thought so even up to this morning. Today I have the strongest proofs of his love and affection."

"What are they?"

"A sealskin dolman, bought at an advance of 40 per cent. on last year's price, and a promise that we shall put in three months of this winter at a bangup hotel in Florida. You are a business man. You are engaged in the sale of bugs which wind up and run around in a circle on the sidewalk, and other amusing and instructive toys. Looked at in a business light, can you discount the colonel's offer?"

"Sdeath!" he muttered as he clasped his throbbing temples.

"Well?" she queried as she folded her arms and waited for him to reply.

But he spoke no word. With a wild whoop he fled—fled down the alley—fled down the street—fled out of her sight forevermore—crushed, busted, gone up the spout. She looked after him and listened to his retreating footsteps until all was still. Then she passed through the gate, entered the house, and handing the red handled tomahawk to the imported French maid she dreamily remarked:

"Julia, take that down to the cook to whack her beefsteak with."

M. QUAD.

FARM AND GARDEN

CHESS OR CHEAT.

A Troublesome Animal Which Is Connected with a Foolish Tradition.

The specimen of grass shown in the accompanying is chess or cheat, known to botanists by the name of Bromus secalinus, L. Some farmers still hold to the old tradition that chess is a degenerate wheat, but most now know it is a distinct species, which sometimes overruns grain fields. The seed is sometimes sown with the grain, but more often gets in from neglected fence corners or hedge rows. It is a very hardy, coarse plant, that seeds profusely and would soon overrun a field if not checked. It is an annual; hence careful cutting for one season would eradicate it.

The botanist of the Maine state experiment station says of it: "It is of no value to the farmers of Maine, though it has been suggested as a winter grass for the south, where some of its near relatives are esteemed. It is rather to be regarded as a weed and should be destroyed. It is not a native grass, but was introduced from Europe. It may be recognized by the aid of the accompanying cut and the following descrip-

CHESS OR CHEAT—BROMUS SECALINUS.

tion: Flowering glume oblong, convex on the back; flowers lapping over one another before expanding; lower empty glume distinctly 3-5 nerved, the upper 5-9 nerved, annual; panicle spreading, even in fruit, the drooping peduncles little branched; spikelets oblong ovate, turgid, smooth, of 8-10 flowers; glume rather longer than the palet, short awned or awnless; sheaths nearly glabrous. Growing in fields or waste places as though introduced."

Moths in Beehives.

W. F. Clark, of Guelph, Ont., cites as a strong point in favor of Italian bees that they are rarely troubled by moths, and even a moderately strong colony of this race will clean them out most effectually. If through carelessness and neglect on the part of the beekeeper a colony has become moth infested, the bees and any combs not affected should be transferred to another hive, after which the old hive should be well sulphured; then by giving one or two at a time of the moth eaten combs to strong stocks of bees, after killing any pupa that may be in sight they will be cleansed and used. The enfeebled colony may be strengthened by giving it frames of brood, and if necessary a good young, vigorous queen. It may be added that moths and other evils in beekeeping may be warded off by heeding Father Langstroth's maxim, "Keep all colonies strong."

Seed Potatoes.

The best way to keep seed potatoes, according to an English authority, is after thoroughly drying them in an open shed, to pack the tubers in shallow boxes in single layers crown upward. The boxes can be so made that they can be packed one upon the other in any light building secure from frost, and when the planting season comes round each tuber will be provided with one strong green spur shooting out from its main crown eye. And this is the condition in which potatoes, especially those intended for an early crop, should be planted.

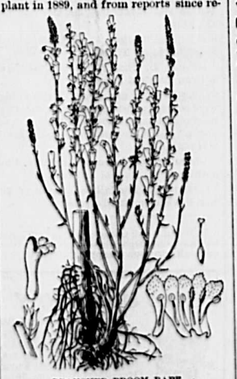
A WEED NEW TO THIS COUNTRY.

A Rapidly Spreading Plant Which Is Difficult to Eradicate.

A plant of recent introduction into this country, which promises to be a common pest, is known as the branched broom rape. While it seems to have come to stay, it may (as is sometimes the case with newly introduced weeds) spread rapidly for a few years and then as rapidly disappear. The following description by J. N. Rose, assistant botanist of the department of agriculture, will assist in identifying the branched broom rape (Orobanche ramosa):

"An annual plant, 6 to 15 inches high, with many slender branches of brownish or straw color, more or less hairy, parasitic upon the roots of other plants. Small, colorless bracts instead of leaves. Flowers scattered in long, slender branches; flower stalk very short; bracts three, one larger at the base of the flower stalk, two smaller at the base of the flower. Calyx four toothed, split on the back. Corolla light blue, two lipped; lower lip three lobed; upper lip notched. Stamens four. Style one, with a broad two lobed stigma. Ovary one celled. Seeds minute, very numerous."

This plant is a native of Europe and has been known in the United States only about five years. The attention of the department was first called to this plant in 1889, and from reports since received it is rapidly spreading. It was first seen in Kentucky, where it proved very destructive to hemp and tobacco. About three years ago it was introduced into Iroquois county, Ills., and has increased rapidly. It is very destructive, particularly to hemp and tobacco, as it fastens itself upon the roots of these plants and draws from them their substance. Its growth in this country is more rank than in Europe. When it once gets into a field it is very hard to eradicate, owing to the great multitude of seeds which it produces. The only remedy is to plant other crops for a few years, and by all means to be careful to obtain pure seeds from uninfested regions.



BRANCHED BROOM RAPE.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Capons in France.

Capons of the La Fleche breed are chiefly favored. The first thing a visitor at a French market notices are the fowls staged with their backs uppermost, their wings being dressed under the breast, which is not open to view. The back is considered by French epicures to supply the choicest morsels of the meat and fat which can be got off the fowl, and they say that if the back is well lined with flesh the breast is sure to be right. La Fleche fowls lay on an enormous amount of fat.

The general practice is to caponize the fowls at 6 months old, and then as soon as they have recovered from the operation they are fattened, and are ready for market in from two to three months. They are fed on milk, buckwheat and maize, and are not closely confined, but allowed to run in a small space. For the last three weeks they are subjected to the process called cramming. Another point is the shape of the fowls when shown. Those accustomed to exhibiting place them in a mold in a linen cloth and press them, and then they come out long, oval, smooth and plump. After being washed with milk they are ready for market or for exhibition.

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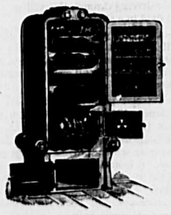

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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Whereas, George W. White, the administrator, de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the second and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

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And said accountant is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

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A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon standing situate in Weymouth in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, described as follows:

Beginning at Pleasant street at land now or late of Andrew Hanley, running northwesterly about 91 feet to a stake; thence westerly about 241 feet to land now or late of John Fraher; thence southerly by land now or late of said Fraher about 95 feet; thence easterly by land now or late of Andrew Hanley about 272 feet to the point begun at, or however otherwise bounded, containing one acre more or less, and being the premises conveyed to Ann Dwyer by Albert Humphrey, by deed dated April 20, 1866, recorded with Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 342, folio 195.

Terms at sale.

FRANK M. SPARROW,

Assignee of said Mortgage.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

BETSEY TIRRELL,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas, Jay B. Crawford, the administrator, de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Dedham, in said county on the third Wednesday of December next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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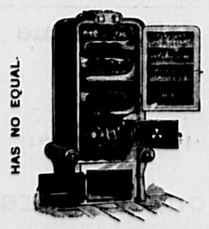

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NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT
TO the Next-of-Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
PALMER E. LOUD,
late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, intestate:
Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John A. Raymond of Weymouth, in the county of Norfolk.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.
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AT CHRISTMASTIDE.

By Mary Elizabeth Blake in Journal of Education.

The Soul cried to its Angel: "Lo!
My lot is fallen in evil days!
God speaks no more to those below,
Nor leads their feet to lofier ways.
Man loves no more his brother man,
As in the saintly days of old
When holy zeal all fear outran,
And virtue stood for more than gold.
The fervor and the joy are flown;
Since love is cold and faith is dead,
Each bears his pain and grief alone;"
The Soul unto its Angel said.

But spake the Angel: "Nay! not thus
Do Made and Maker drift apart;
Still speaks the voice of God in us,
To nerve the arm, to fire the heart.
Strong hands still clasp; pure thoughts aspire
To lift the weaker brother's load;
Prometheus-like to warm with fire
Of heavenly love his poor abode;
Fair Charity and fairer Peace
Now mark for earth the highest goal,
And so shall mark till Time doth cease."
Thus said its Angel to the Soul.

And lo! as thus the Bright One spoke
The long dawn of Christmas broke.

BOBBIE'S JOURNEY

TO

GAMBELL & SMITH'S

A Story of Christmas Eve.

BY MISS AGNES HYDE.

Snow? Of course there was snow. Did you ever see a perfect Christmas without snow? and this was a real old timer. Not only was there snow on the ground, on the housetops, on the trees and shrubs, but there was snow even in the air. Not gentle, calm, well-behaved snow either, but pelting, driving, hurrying snow, that seemed to know where it was going and was anxious to get there. The big flakes ran races with the little ones, and sometimes one beat and sometimes the other, but they all reached the earth sooner or later and joining their forces with the white mass already there helped to make the best sleighing and the heaviest fall of snow the town of Delton had known in many a year.

If any of you have been children (which I suppose you have) and attended school (which we will take for granted) you know with what a feeling of excitement, of awed expectation, and with what a merry heart, the books are packed in the little bag, the cap and coat are donned, and the boy leaves the school-house behind him upon Christmas Eve; not to return until Christmas is over and its wonders and mysteries all unravelled. If you have yourself experienced these things you will understand how to sympathize with, and enter into Bobbie Johnston's exultant shout as the door closed behind him and he plunged into the snow that was almost as high as himself.

I really feel as if I ought to apologize for introducing such a hero into a Christmas story. He ought to have been a ragged newsboy or a poor hungry creature of some kind, of which, alas! there are plenty in the world even at God's good Christmas time. But there were not many of them in Delton, thank God. It was a thriving, industrious, comfortable little town, and above all, not fashionable, therefore its "first families" were not so hard pressed with teas, dinners, hops, calls, card and theatre parties, but what they could find time to attend to their poor all the year round, and not only spasmodically at Christmas time, as is the case with some of our society circles in more fashionable districts.

But we are leaving little Bobbie Johnston out in the snow all this time. I don't believe Bobbie was cold however, for he was clad in a warm topcoat, not a tailor-made affair of course, but one cut from Uncle Ben's of two years ago. It fitted Bobbie nicely for Bobbie's mother made it, and she was one of those women, who, when she did a thing, did it well.

"It's snowing pretty hard," said Bobbie, as he tucked his bag under his arm and pushed his hands further down into his pockets. Though to tell the truth, I don't think Bobbie really needed to put his hands in his pockets, for his mittens were warm red ones, knit by his mother of course. I hardly think he put them there for warmth, it's my opinion he wanted to see if his Christmas pennies were all safe. If such was the case he must have been well pleased for there they were, bright as a button. Bobbie could feel them through his mittens. There was the dime Uncle Ben had given him two weeks before, Bobbie was of the opinion he would have got only a nickle if Miss Robinson had not been by at the time and Uncle Ben thought he'd do the thing up handsome. Then there was the five cents his father had given him, the three cents he got for old iron, six cents Mrs. Donnel gave him for putting in wood, four he had earned helping Tom Brown carry home the clothes Tom's mother washed, three cents Miss Robinson gave him to be a good boy and not tell he saw Uncle Ben kiss her at the door, and then there was the cent he found in the back yard.

"That makes thirty-two cents," said Bobbie, "and it's a pretty big pile. I would have had thirty-five if I hadn't given little Jim Turner three cents 'cause he only had two for Christmas. But I aint sorry I did it," he commented.

"Thirty-two cents ought to buy a lot," went on Bobbie, "there's papa and mamma and the baby, and Uncle Ben, and—yes I suppose I ought to get Miss Robinson something 'cause she gave me a rocking-horse last Christmas. Uncle Ben will be sure to bring her up tomorrow, 'cause I heard him tell ma it would be a lonely Christmas for her without her folks, and ma smiled at pa and told Uncle Ben he had better bring her over to spend the day with us. Then there's Jimmie Turner, I'll get him something 'cause Santa Claus always seems to forget about him."

Of course Bobbie had gone over all this in his little brain many times before, in fact he could not study his lessons for thinking of this all-absorbing subject.

Now Bobbie's mother had given him permission to go down to Darby's after school, this was the one big store of their part of the town. His mother had even volunteered to go with him, but this Bobbie stoutly objected to, believing in the good old custom of doing Christmas shopping alone, that it might not be robbed of its mystery.

The snow was still coming down heavily, but Bobbie did not mind it. His sturdy legs struggled manfully along and his eyes were soon gladdened with Darby's wonderful holiday goods displayed in the most tempting and dazzling manner. But Bobbie was either very hard to suit, or his pennies were too few, for after half an hour's exploration of Darby's dime-and-nickle counter not one purchase had he made, or found one article to his liking.

"Have you been over to Gambell & Smith's?" he heard one lady say to another, "you haven't? well, you really ought to go, they have a much better assortment of goods there, and cheaper too."

At this, our little Bobbie pricked up his little ears and listened to an extended conversation and comparison of the merits and demerits of Gambell & Smith's versus Darby's.

Now Gambell & Smith's was in a distant part of the town, and a part that Bobbie had been in but a few times, and never without his mother or Uncle Ben. But to Gambell & Smith's Bobbie resolved to go. The half-hour spent in Darby's seemed but a few minutes to Bobbie and consoling himself with the thought that he would surely be home before supper he pulled his little cap down over his ears, thrust his red mittened hands deep into his pockets again, and jingling his treasured pennies, he set out for the wonderful Gambell & Smith's.

As it was still daylight, and the constant Christmas traffic kept the roads pretty free from the steadily accumlating snow, Bobbie found his way without much difficulty, and just as the darkness began to fall upon Delton, entered the charmed precincts of Gambell & Smith's. The store was brilliantly lighted and Bobbie felt like a boy in a fairy tale as he pushed his way among the Christmas crowd, and elbowed himself up to the counters groaning under their weight of holiday splendor.

At last Bobbie's pennies were all gone. He realized it with a sigh; but then, no one was forgotten, and little Jim Turner's parcel was tucked safely away with the rest.

Well satisfied with himself, his purchases, and the great Gambell & Smith's, Bobbie made his way as best he could through the ever increasing throng to the sidewalk and looked about him. It was dark now and growing colder, so that Bobbie fairly shivered even in the top-coat loving hands had made so warm for him. He was a little dazed and bewildered, coming from the light, with the pelting snow and darkness, and at a loss which way to turn. But he had a stout heart, had Bobbie, and wondering to himself that it should grow dark so soon, for it seemed but a little while to Bobbie, he resolutely faced the storm and set out for home with his mind running on the presents he had safe in his pockets and the good time he would have tomorrow when he produced them.

The snow was filling in rapidly, and came down so thickly that Bobbie could hardly see a yard before him. He got along very well, however, while his way lay upon the busy streets, but when he left them behind him, and plunged into the less frequented ones, poor little Bobbie found it hard indeed. But Bobbie was strong and sturdy, and his little legs ploughed their way vigorously through the dead white mass, his face was red and sore with the wet, cold snow ever beating against it, his hands were numb and tingling, even through the red mittens, pockets and all, and his little feet were growing tired, but Bobbie was of the stuff heroes are made of, and although a lump would rise in his little throat when he thought of his mother's face and how far he was from it, he still kept bravely on.

"I hope she won't be worried," he said, "it can't be very late, even if it is so dark. I must hurry and get home before supper, I don't want her to cry," said the brave little fellow. Poor Bobbie's conscience smote him sorely, as well as the cold, and seemed to repeat louder and louder as he grew more and more tired, that he had done wrong in going to Gambell & Smith's.

At last Bobbie grew so tired that he could not think at all, it required all his strength, both mental and physical, to keep his little weary legs in motion. Then came the dreadful inquiry, where was he? He did not know. He could see nothing but snow. Snow above him, snow beneath him, a desert of snow all around him. Snow whirling in his face, snow pelting his aching back, snow filling into his collar, his cap, his boots, and even finding its chilly, clammy way down into the pockets where the little stiff, cold, red-mittened hands had gone for shelter. Poor little Bobbie, in his bitterest distress he found his mind wandering to his presents, and a great throb of thankfulness went through his little heart, as he thought they were in his jacket pockets, with his coat tightly buttoned over them, where the cruel, white thing that seemed almost alive to him, could not get at them, to spoil them all.

"It's very dark," said Bobbie, "and it's getting pretty cold. I really must go faster or it will be quite late when I get home. If my legs were a little longer I think I could manage better," and the little fellow tried to lift the benumbed feet once more.

"I don't exactly know the way," he said, "it must be straight ahead though. It's very hard to see when the snow comes down so thick."

Ah Bobbie, poor weary, generous, brave little Bobbie, it is hard to see when "the snow comes down so thick!" Older eyes than yours have found it so, and stronger limbs have given o'er the struggle and laid them down to die.

"I am so very tired," welled up from Bobbie's heart, "my feet won't move at all, and my head goes round and round. I think I'll rest awhile, and then maybe I can go faster. Mamma says God loves all little children, and that he came on earth a little child at Christmas time, so I'm sure he won't let anything hurt me." The brave little heart gave way, the sturdy limbs were beaten, and Bobbie sank down a helpless heap, and the snow came hurrying down upon him.

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"It's an awful night!" said Robert Johnston as he came in from his day's work, covered with snow and numb with the cold.

"Isn't Bobbie with you?" asked his wife anxiously.

"Bobbie? no, why? surely he is not out in this terrible storm?"

Annie Johnston was a woman who had borne much, and had learned that greatest of all virtues, to suffer and be calm. Though her face grew white and her lips trembled, she told her story bravely. How that Bobbie had asked to go to Darby's from school to spend his Christmas money, and as it was but a little way from home she had given him permission, but that he had not returned.

"I did not feel worried, because I thought he had stayed looking at the pretty things, then when it grew dark and the storm increased, the baby was so fretful I could not leave him, so I comforted myself with the thought that he had gone to the shop to meet you, and come home with you, as he sometimes does, you know. O Robert, he must be out in this dreadful storm, and how are we to find him!"

"Where is Ben?" asked her husband, lifting a face that had suddenly grown old and gray.

"He left here an hour ago. He is to sing with the carolers at Burnville to-night and the sleighs leave Durham corner at 7. He had to stop for Miss Robinson on his way so left early."

Though Annie talked calmly her hand trembled so that she could not steady the match to light the lantern she had brought from its place on the shelf in the corner. Robert took it from her hands, lighted it, and started for the door.

"I will go with you Robert."

"No, Annie, your place is here, to put all in readiness for our return. I will get the neighbors to go with me, they will go every one, for they all loved Bobbie," then as Annie broke down at last, he went on tenderly, "There, there, lass, cheer up, we'll bring him home safe, dear, never fear." The door closed, and he was gone to battle with the snow once more, and the mother was left to bear as best she could the terrible suspense that is so often woman's portion.

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Delton and Burnville, two sister towns, still kept up the good old custom of carol singing upon Christmas Eve, and a gayer party of carolers never left Durham corner than the one I write about. As the storm was so severe and the roads bad, they were to go in sleighs to Burnville to join their forces with the Carolers there, and unitedly carry out the programme already decided upon. Thus the two towns had together caroled their Savior's birth for many a year.

The roads were heavy, but their hearts were light with Christmas joy, and as they rode they sang of the Christ child, and of God's wondrous love for men, the sleigh bells jingling a silvery accompaniment.

Now it so happened that the road they took lay through an almost uninhabited portion of the town, that was dreary and cold at all times in winter, but doubly so now.

"It came upon a midnight clear,
That glorious song of old,
From angels bending near the earth
To touch their harps of gold;
Peace on the earth good will to men
From heaven's all gracious king;
The world in solemn stillness lay
To hear the angels sing."

So sang the carolers. And poor little Bobbie heard them in the distance, but his little heart and brain were so benumbed with the cold that he knew not what they were, and could only murmur deliriously, "It's the angels mamma tells about who sang on Christmas Eve so long ago."

"Still through the cloven skies they come,
"With peaceful wings unfurled;
And still their heavenly music floats
O'er all the weary world;
Above its sad and lowly plains
They bend on hovering wing,
And ever o'er its babel sounds
The blessed angels sing."

The music was coming nearer, and Bobbie tried to lift his frozen eyelids, that he might see the angels in the sky.

"I must be very sleepy," he said, "for I can't open them at all." Then his little heart thrilled with the thought, "Maybe God has sent the angels for me, as he did for the child in the story mamma told me, but I would like to bid mamma good bye before I go," he sobbed.

God has indeed sent them for you Bobbie, that they may take you back to that dear mother once more.

"Oh ye beneath life's crushing load,
Whose forms are bending low,
Who toil along the climbing way
With painful steps and slow!
Look now, for glad and golden hours
Come swiftly on the wing:
O rest beside the weary road,
And hear the angels sing."

The singing is almost beside him now, but Bobbie hardly hears it, he is fast falling into that sleep from which there is no waking.

The snow has ceased to fall, the stars are filling the sky, and the sleighs come dashing over the white snow, when suddenly there is a plunge, and the horse in the first one, a single sleigh, rears upright and then stands perfectly still, quivering from head to hoof.

"There's something in the snow," exclaimed Uncle Ben, for he it was with Miss Robinson who occupied the first sleigh.

A moment more and great, strong Ben Harding was out searching among the drifts.

"It's a little child," he said, his voice quivering with excitement as he lifted a little dark figure in his arms.

"Why it's Bobbie!"

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When Robert Johnston came in, a tired, wretched, broken down, heavy-hearted man, with burnt out lantern to be replenished, Bobbie had been rubbed and bathed and doctored by Miss Robinson and his mother, back to life and warmth once more, and was sleeping peacefully in his little bed. Four thankful hearts knelt down beside him, and gave praise for God, who had not deserted them on this Christmas eve, but had given them back him who was the joy of their hearts, and the light of their eyes, little sturdy-limbed, brave-hearted Bobbie.

Though the little lad did not run about for many days to come, he had his Merry Christmas nevertheless, and distributed his little presents you may be sure. Even little Jim Turner got his, which proved to be a picture-book and an orange. Miss Robinson, (who, by the way, is Bobbie's auntie now) said she would not part with hers (a most extraordinary pin-cushion) for the costliest gift money could buy. The baby got a rattle, mamma a handkerchief, (cotton to be sure, with the gayest border imaginable, but beautiful to the mother's heart nevertheless). Uncle Ben rejoiced in a brilliant pair of sleeve-buttons, gold of course, (?) while papa became the proud possessor of a little brown blank-book with "Memorandum" in red letters across the top, which he no doubt found useful.

And be sure Bobbie did not lack his share of Christmas gifts and joys. And so we will leave him, striving to have in our hearts and on our lips the happy Christmas peace and good-will toward all our fellow-men.

[THE END.]

JIM.

A CHRISTMAS SKETCH.

It was night on the twenty-fourth of December. All day the snow had been falling and now lay in a heavy sheet upon the earth. The trees which before had seemed so desolate and bare were now covered with a crystal foliage which gleamed and sparkled in the light of the stout lamps as though studded with gems. Down town the streets of the city were crowded with a hurrying throng all intent, as it seemed, upon the same purpose—the purchasing of gifts for the loved ones at home. The stores were brilliantly lighted and in every window holiday goods were piled in profusion while the crowds of purchasers coming through the doors seemed rivers of people pouring into and becoming lost in the great sea of humanity upon the street.

By the window of a large toy shop with his face pressed against the pane stood a ragged litte street arab, lost in admiration of the glittering array of toys within, as seemingly unconscious of the jostling crowd about him as if he had been turned to stone by the glances of the grinning jack-in-the box just before him. He had been sternly ordered out of the store a moment before by a floor walker whose mind, strange as it may seem, was filled with thoughts of his own little ones, and their glad surprise on the morrow when they should discover the stockings, now hanging limp and empty by the fireside, filled with presents. Yet with thoughts like these in his mind he did not hesitate to turn poor Jim into the cold streets for it never occurred to him that this ragged and dirty child was inwardly anything like his own. To his mind if this little waif were not already a thief it was only because he had not found the opportunity. And indeed we do not claim that Jim would not have stolen had a good chance presented itself. Brought up from infancy upon the streets with no remembrance of a home or parents was it any wonder that his ideas of morality were rudimentary?

But the child, used to rough words, had already forgotten his harsh treatment as he gazed on the fairy world within the windows; at the Christmas tree from the branches of which hung glittering lights, beautiful garlands and bright tinsel ornaments and at the life-sized wax Santa Claus. He attracted the notice of many passers and one couple stopped and regarded him with especial interest. "Poor little fellow" whispered the lady to her husband, "let us drop some money into his pocket. He is so absorbed I don't think he will notice your touch and think what a pleasant Christmas surprise it will be to him." And so the gentleman drawing a bright silver dollar from his purse dropped it gently into the pocket of Jim's ragged jacket and passed on. And Jim did not feel his hand and knew nothing of his good fortune.

At length the boy's revery was interrupted by the extinguishing of the lights in the store and he realized that it must be late and started as he realized that he had no money with which to procure a night's lodging. There were now but few people on the street and as he wandered along, his timid and plaintive appeals to each passer for a few cents met only with harsh words and refusals. He had thrust his hands into the pockets of his trousers to keep them warm and it never occurred to him to look in his other pockets for he remembered only too well that he had spent his last few pennies hours before for a morsel of food which he had dignified by the name of supper. Finally discouraged by rebuffs he started to find some place place to sleep. He could not go to a cheap lodging house for he knew they would not trust; in fact it is doubtful if Jim ever really understood what credit was, so little experience had he ever had with it. However he had slept in the streets before and thought if he could only find some sheltered porch he might manage to keep warm. But

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23 1892.

When you pay your subscription watch for the change of date on the address on your paper. If it is not advanced a year in four weeks from time of payment, please notify this office. ***

Two or three weeks of ice and good skating. Ideal Christmas weather.

Winter began Wednesday, the 21st, according to the old Farmers' Almanac.

Yesterday was the two hundred and seventy-second anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims and the "survival of the fittest" has been clearly demonstrated Many other colonies speaking many languages and with many theories and forms of government came in the early days but the language and principles of the New England colony is the only language which is in general use and the only principles which prevail throughout the entire land.

The holiday season at Christmas time is the most welcome season of the year. It is a time of giving and receiving. To shopkeepers it is particularly welcome infusing new life into trade. The display of Christmas goods this year excels in variety and novelty anything ever before seen. Each year it seems as though the limit of inventive genius had been reached in this field but each succeeding Christmas time shows the fallacy of such a conclusion. Dealers report the buying for this year to be much heavier than it was last year which shows that there has been general prosperity among the people. While it is admitted that a great deal of money is spent in buying presents that can illy be spared from the meager stores of many families, yet such purchases are by no means bad investments, as in most instances they pay big dividends in happiness.

Wish You a Merry Christmas.

The Gazette presents some excellent special Christmas and holiday reading in this issue. The two original Christmas stories by local talent, one by Miss Agnes Hyde of Weymouth, the other by Laurens Maynard of East Weymouth, are worthy of particular mention. Few, if any, country weeklys publish as much from local contributors as the Gazette. We take pride in our local talent and are always glad to encourage it. We are sure our readers will enjoy these products of the pens of two of Weymouth's literary people.

Weymouth A Historical Landmark.

—We take pleasure in announcing the early publication of some interesting historical articles. Mr. Charles Francis Adams, having become much interested in the old ship-yard at North Weymouth, which he has proven to be the site of the first Weymouth settlement—and the second settlement in Massachusetts—has offered to erect at his own expense a suitable monument there if the town will purchase the land for a park. The forthcoming articles will be in part extracts from Mr. Adams' book and in part appeals from the Weymouth Historical society and individuals for the purchase of the land designated by Mr. Adams.

As Hunt's hill forms a part of this land and is being dug away to fill up the Marine park at South Boston, the movement should be pushed quickly if at all and the hill, or as much of it as possible, be saved.

A Petition of the People.

A petition is in circulation and is being largely signed throughout the state, asking for a government telegraph and telephone service. Some of the blanks are placed in the stores in the different parts of this town and all voters are invited to sign them before Feburary 15th. It is a popular movement and all classes of citizens are hastening to give it the weight of their names.

The petition is headed as follows:—

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives in General Court Assembled:

Your petitioners, the undersigned citizens of Massachusetts, respectfully represent that the telegraph service of this country has become a burdensome monology in the hands of a company extorting in charges more than twice as much as the people of other countries, favored with government lines, are obliged to pay,—a company that uses to the utmost its great capital to eradicate all fair competition, and exerts a baneful control over the press upon which the citizens are forced to rely for information.

We also represent that on the expiring of the telephonic patents now soon to occur, a similar monology in that method of transmitting intelligence is likely to be established, as grievous to the people as that of the telegraph.

We therefore respectfully petition your honorable bodies to instruct the Senators and request the Representatives of this Commonwealth in Congress to use all proper means to secure a Government telegraph and telephone service.

Standish Debating Club.

The Standish Debating club met on Dec. 13. The question for debate was: "Was the civil war a benefit to the South? Affirmative: Oscar Smith, Ralph Loud and Albert West. Negative: Oliver Loud, George Bagley and William Mason. Was decided that the civil war was a benefit to the South. Debaters for next meeting on the subject "Was the invention of gunpowder a benefit to mankind?" will be as follows: Affirmative: Herman Loud, Edward Gutterson and Albert West. Negative: John Hunt, Lewis Pease and Oscar Smith.

Rev. Allan B. Hudson to be Ordained.

Next Wednesday afternoon and evening is the time set apart for the ordination of Rev. Allan B. Hudson, in the Pilgrim Congregational church of North Weymouth. The afternoon services will consist of an examination of the candidate as to his doctrinal views, etc.; and in the evening service, beginning at 7 o'clock, the ordination will take place, at which service Professor Luther T. Townsend of Boston University, the famous Anti-Roman agitator, who was one of Mr. Hudson's college professors, will deliver the ordination sermon. Seventeen churches will be represented, and it is expected that upwards of thirty ministers will be present. These services are free to the public.

Historical.

The regular monthly meeting of the Weymouth Historical society will be held in Tufts Library on Wednesday the 28 inst. at 7.30 p. m.

Marshall Hall's

ready method in drowning, as to what to do and how to do it, will be found in Dr. Kaufmann's Medical Work: fine colored plates from life. Send three 2-cent stamps, to pay postage, to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

NO OTHER Sarsaparilla has the careful personal supervision of the proprietor in all the details of its preparation as has **HOOD'S** Sarsaparilla.

Temperance Meeting.

A union temperance meeting was held at the First Baptist church last Sunday evening with a good attendance. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Alfred Noon, Secretary of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society. He delivered a stirring address which was listened to with interest by the large audience present. The speaker, who spoke mostly from a scientific standpoint, presented some very plausible arguments. He said in part that the result of the election in the various cities had been one of great joy to the temperance workers, there being a gain of four cities in the no-license column; and that of the 352 cities and towns in the state but 54 places had, in the past year, declared for license, and of those in three towns no licenses had been granted, so in reality the state stood 201 to 51 in favor of no-license; and on the total vote of the state no-license was in the lead by 24,700 votes. He said that there was one line of temperance work, and a very important one, which was not reported much in the papers, that of teaching temperance in the schools, and spoke of the good work accomplished by a young member of his society who spoke wholly to the children of the public schools, and had obtained in the city of Fall River the signatures of 2,800 children who had taken the total abstinence pledge and 7,000 in the city of Taunton. He said that the general impression was that the signing of the total abstinence pledge by children amounted to nothing but nothing was further from the truth, as 80 per cent. of the children who signed kept the pledge. He said there were waves of temperance reform as there are waves of religious reform when the people get asleep on these great subjects, and there was never a time when the question of temperance was so forcibly put as at the present time. He also spoke of a little joke the people of Medford had perpetrated on Cambridge, when some citizens of Medford went into the office of a Boston paper and stated that the idea that it was Medford rum that was sent into Africa was erroneous and that it was Cambridge, instead of Medford, rum that was sent to that country. In closing he said the general impression was that sometimes our neighbors knew our business better than we do ourselves, and cited the cases of his neighbors, the doctor, teacher, preacher, and the man who has the good of the community at heart when all were of the opinion that total abstinence was a good thing.

Rev.'s Oliver Hinckel, B. F. Eaton and W. L. Smith also took part in the services.

Check Protested.

The Boston Record of Dec. 17 had the following: J. O. Frost of the Chamber of Commerce, well-known as a successful breeder of blooded stock, has been a victim of misplaced confidence to a degree that calls forth the deepest expressions of sympathy from his brethren. Mr. Frost makes a specialty of swine, and has some fine pigs worth easily from $12 to $15 each; but he is of a very accommodating disposition, and a gentleman from Weymouth, William Dolby by name, being anxious to secure four of them to ship South, the former offered to deliver them for $36. The trade was made, the pigs were shipped from the Vermont farm to Weymouth, and Mr. Frost accepted a personal check for $20 in payment, refunding the difference of $14.

The latter precaution Mr. Dolby claimed to be necessary in order to make it appear to future purchasers that the pigs actually cost $50. On the surface all was serene. But the check was worthless. Such a man as Dolby had been known about Weymouth; but he had no account with the Union National Bank on which the check was drawn, and, after paying $1.50 for the protesting and the bill of expense for keeping the stock at Weymouth, the agonized flour dealer shipped back to Vermont the pigs for which no one ever came.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only ship a note that such notices to insured shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth.)—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday, "The Wondrous Story—Not Yet Half Told." Special Christmas music by church choir. Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. Christmas service at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Subject for next Sunday, "The Old Story—Ever New." Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m.; Christmas Concert at 7.00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m., Christmas sermon and appropriate music. Sunday-school at 12 m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; Christmas concert at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; evening service 6.30 p. m. Strangers, new-comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all, a part for all. A welcome for all.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 5.00 and 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m. Vespers at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, UNIVERSALIST (South Weymouth)—Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Preaching service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Young People's meeting at 7. All are cordially welcome. tf

TEMPERANCE HALL, (East Weymouth)—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (North Weymouth).—Rev. Allan B. Hudson, pastor. Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school with pastor's Bible class at 10.30 a. m.; preaching by Rev. Daniel Evans at 2.30 p. m. Young People's service at 6 p. m. and union evangelistic service, at 7 p. m.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., special Christmas sermon and music; Sunday-school at 12 m. Christmas Sunday-school concert at 7 p. m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. E. E. Phillips, pastor. Sunday-school at 12.45 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m; prayer meeting at 7 p. m. tf

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. Mass at 5.30 and 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.; Vespers 7.45 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. J. H. McDonald, pastor. Special Christmas sermon and music at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12m.; Epworth League 6.00 p. m.; evening service, Sunday-school concert at 7.00 p. m.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. W. S. Key, pastor. Special Christmas exercises by the Sunday-school at 4.30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Christmas sermon and special music at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p. m.; Sunday-school concert at 7 p.m.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. Oliver Hinckel, pastor. Next Sunday special Christmas services. Morning at 10.30, Christmas music and decorations, and sermon on "The Good Tidings of Christmas." Evening at 7.30, Christmas Vespers with an elaborate musical programme and readings by the pastor. All cordially invited.

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC.

Quartette: Miss Lucille Mae Shepard, soprano; Mrs. J. Frank Drew, alto; Mr. LaForrest Lincoln, tenor; Mr. E. E. Hayward, bass; Mr. J. Herman Loud, organist.

Morning Service.

Organ Voluntary—"Christmas Pastorale"—Gustav Merkel
Anthem—"Behold I bring you Good Tidings"—J. Barnby
Solo—"Sancta Maria," Faure
Hymn—"While shepards watched," Handel
Solo and Quartette—"Christmas Song," with cornet obligato, H. M. Dow
Hymn—"Hark! the herald angels," Mendelssohn
Organ Postlude—"Hallelujah Chorus" (Messiah) Handel.

Evening Vespers.

Organ voluntary—"Adagio in E flat," Gustav Merkel.
Anthem—"There were shepherds," Dudley Buck.
Quartette—"Holy Night" (Carol) J. Barnby.
Hymn—"About the glad tidings," Ch. Avison.
Solo—"The Midnight Song," A. F. Loud.
Hymn—"I go to the world" Lowell Mason
Quartette—"Hark! hark! my soul," Stoller.
Solo and Quartette—"Christmas Song," with cornet obligato, H. M. Dow.
Organ Postlude—"March, in B flat," E. Lilas

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The New York English Ballad Company.

The usual large audience, which is one of the features of the Institute course, assembled at the Union church of Weymouth and Braintree, Friday evening last to listen to the programme prepared by the New York English Ballad Concert company for their entertainment.

The company consisted of Mrs. Carrie Hun-King, soprano; Mrs. Julie DeRyther, contralto; Mrs. W. H. Reiger, tenor; Carl E. Dufft, baritone; and Adolph Glose, pianist.

The quartette numbers were very well rendered, the voices blending together nicely.

Mrs. Hun-King pleased the audience with her selections and has a high, clear soprano voice which merited the applause received.

Mrs. DeRyther sang the familiar air, Love's Old Song, and as an encore repeated the last verse.

Mr. Reiger possesses a pure tenor of great sweetness and range and won many admirers for himself among the audience while the baritone solos of Mr. Dufft were rich and full of musical ability.

Mr. Glose is by far the most pleasing pianist that has visited Weymouth for some time. Many of his selections were difficult but the most simple, "The Music Box," captured the audience and Mr. Glose was obliged to respond a third time to an encore.

As a whole the concert was a very successful one and worthy of the Institute Course.

The next evening's entertainment in the course does not occur until Jan. 13, when the wonderful Tableaux d'Art company are the entertainers.

Co-operative Course.

The Co-operative course of entertainments under the auspices of the Junior Templars of Honor, opened Wednesday night in Odd Fellows' Opera house, East Weymouth, under most favorable circumstances. Since the tickets were first placed on sale the young men have received the liberal patronage and the body of the house was well sold in advance assuring a good audience, other conditions being favorable.

The first entertainment was that of Wednesday night and was by the Clark Comedy company which gave the delightful, musical idyl "Eva's Caprice." The play affords opportunities for the wonderful bass voice of Dr. Clark to be used to the best advantage, as well as an opportunity for the Dr. and Miss Mona E. Clark to do some of the most excellent dramatic work in which Miss Clark was decidedly pleasing, appearing in four different costumes and scenes and in all of them winning applause not only for her sweet songs, but for her most charming appearance and graceful work.

Miss Annie Frank Libby, the harpist of the company will long be remembered as one of the finest cut figures and most tastefully dressed ladies who has ever graced the stage at the Opera house. The play gave Banks M. Davidson, the accompanist, ample opportunity to display his skill as pianist.

The second entertainment in the course will be next Wednesday night and will be an illustrated lecture on Switzerland by Dr. J. J. Lewis.

Annual Convention.

The annual convention of the Norfolk County Woman's Temperance Union, will be held in the Methodist church, East Weymouth, Thursday, the 28th inst.

The morning session will be opened at 10 o'clock by a prayer service led by Mrs. Martha Pratt. The convention will be called to order by Mrs. H. B. Raymond, president of the County Union.

An address of welcome and response will follow the opening of the meeting; next will be the appointing of committees; the secretary, Mrs. A. E. Swallow of Hyde Park, will next read the records. At 10.30 there will be reports of county superintendents. At 11.30, address by State Superintendent of Mother's Meetings, Mrs. Abby F. Rolfe of Concord; 12 m., noontide prayer; 12.05 p. m., reading by Miss Nella R. Hayden, president of the Y's, to be followed by report of the treasurer, Miss Augusta Crocker of Dedham; roll call and adjournment.

The afternoon order of service will be opened at 1.45, and will consist of report of committees, election of secretary and treasurer, address by Mrs. E. S. Twichell, subject "The Industrial Revolution of the Past Century"; offering; notes from the National convention by Mrs. E. M. Everett; miscellaneous business and adjournment at 4.30.

Union Literary Circle.

The regular number of members of the Union Literary circle of Weymouth and Braintree, that has met together this season, assembled at the residence of Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Tuesday evening Dec 13.

The subject for the evening's programme was "The Early Explorers" and quotations relating to the subject were given by each member.

Several papers were read of which the subjects were the following: De Leon, Miss M. F. Sargent; De Soto, Mrs. Marcia E. P. Hunt; Cortez, Miss Angie Gutterson; Magellan, Miss Charlotte Hobart; The Cabots, Miss Emma F. Thayer.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. S. W. Gutterson, on Commercial street, Tuesday evening, Dec. 27.

DEDHAM COURT AND REGISTRY MATTERS.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 16, 1892.—The following are the latest real estate conveyances as made in Braintree and Weymouth and recorded in the Norfolk Registry in this town:

John Reed to Marcia C. Fisk, Braintree, for $1.

Joshua Binney to Waterman T. Burrell, Weymouth, for $150.

Albert G. Coffin to Benjamine Johnson, of Braintree, for $1.

Asa French to P. E. Foss, Braintree, for $1.

Nash's Corner.

—A handsome present from the employes of T. F. Kelley's manufactory, was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meehan last week.

—L. E. Pendleton, of West Winterport, Me., will preach at the Liberty Square Mission chapel, Sunday afternoon and evening.

—Last Tuesday morning, Mrs. Annie Leyman died after a lingering illness. The deceased was eighty-two years of age and has lived with Mrs. H. N. Bowker, her sister, for many years. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, after which the remains were interred at Forest Hill cemetery.

—While Richard C. Smith was returning home from E. H. Stetson's factory last Friday night, his carriage broke down near the residence of Mr. McGinness and the occupants were obliged to walk home.

—Harry W. Poole, one of the employes of S. S. Spear's factory, was married to Miss Alice W. Savage of Charlestown, Tuesday, December 20.

Notes and Comments.

—Jay Gould's will has been filed. But after all the filing it cannot be made less than 72 millions. He has been much maligned since his departure for his methods and especially his connection with the historical Black Friday episode and we feel that some charity is due him. To be sure he ruined others—but he would have increased their own fortunes at his expense and with as little compunction had circumstances been reversed. His life is a good sermon on the beauties of the competitive system and should be well studied. Needham Chronicle.

—The time is not far distant when all interests of the community at large will demand that the Government take control of railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, mines, etc., and run them on the same lines as it does the post office department. A few more lives, and deaths, like that of Jay Gould, so void of any semblance of regard for the world from whence he won his untold millions, nor of the suffering caused others by his attaining it, will awaken our people to the evident necessity of some restraint upon the greed of monopolists. The sooner it comes the better.—Everett Herald.

—Whoever wants to succeed Captain Adams as Sergeant-at-Arms will need to make out a pretty strong case. Captain Adams' claim upon the position does not rest solely upon his army services, meritorious as they were; he can point also to the fidelity and intelligence with which he has performed the duties of his offices. —Boston Journal.

The Boston Journal of Wednesday gave an account of a gathering at Young's hotel on Tuesday night of members elect of the next legislature who are in sympathy with the candidature of J. J. Mahoney for sergeant-at-arms. Committees were chosen to work for his election.

A motion was made that a communication to the public and the other members be prepared for the newspapers, which was carried, and an executive committee appointed to have this and the promotion of the campaign in charge. They are Councilor E. V. Mitchell of Medfield, Hon. Edward Grimes of Somerville, Major J. H. Edgerly of Boston and Representatives-elect C. L. Hammond of Quincy and C. H. Bryant of Boston.

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South High—Whitman.

Last Saturday afternoon the South High eleven played a very close and exciting game of football with the Whitman High school eleven. The Whitmans, being heavier, relied chiefly on wedge plays, but the South Highs generally carried the ball around the end.

First half. Whitman won the toss and took the ball, gained 10 yards by wedge; Callahan, Emerson, Valentine, Cook and Gurney took the ball in short but steady gains to Weymouth's 15-yard line. Whitman fumbled and Tirrell dropped on the ball. Weymouth fumbled; the ball crossed the goal line and Cook dropped on it making a touchdown. No goal. Whitman, 4. In Cook's try at goal the ball failed to cross the goal line; a Whitman player dropping on the ball it was given to Whitman on Weymouth's 10-yard line. Whitman soon made another touchdown and again failed to kick goal. Whitman, 8, but as after the first touchdown Weymouth was entitled to the ball in the centre of the field (rule 32) the score should be Whitman, 4. Weymouth now had the ball and Shaw aided by good interference made 20 yards from behind a V but was downed by Emerson. Duntlin and Tirrell made short gains, but failing to make 5 yards Tirrell punted, Reidy dropping on the ball Whitman's 10-yard line. Weymouth then lost 15 yards by a poor pass. Tirrell then received the ball and aided by good interference by Reidy and Beals made a fine run and touchdown. South High, 4. Whitman tried the revolving wedge with good success making 20 yards. Cook gained 2 yards but was well downed by Tirrell whose tackling throughout the game was of a high order. Emerson and Cook tried the centre but not making 5 yards, lost the ball and soon after lost 25 yards on a foul. (It should have been 5 only.) Tirrell made a good gain around the end and was well tackled by Emerson as time was called. Score, Whitman, 4; South High, 4.

Second half: South High tried a wedge between left guard and end and before the right side of Whitman's rush line knew what had happened Shaw was behind the goal posts. Moore kicked goal. South High, 10. Whitman made small but steady gains with the revolving wedge, and by sending Valentine and Callahan out, brought the ball to Weymouth's 20-yard line, where on a fumble, Weymouth got the ball. Here was the best playing of the game. Tirrell and Reidy rushed again, and again but Whitman tackled well and but small gains were made, until Tirrell, by good interference, got by the Whitmans rush line and ran the length of the field for a touchdown which was not allowed, the referee claiming that the ball was not in play. As soon as the ball was brought back Ferguson carried the ball over for a touchdown. Cook kicked goal. Whitman 10. South Weymouth carried the ball to Whitman's 20 yard line but lost the ball to Whitman on a fumble. Whitman fumbled and Beak dropped on the ball. In the scrimmage, Beak who had been playing well throughout the game, wrenched his knee and was replaced by Thayer. Reidy made good rushes but was well tackled. Tirrell punted and Harlow dropped on the ball behind the line for a touchback but the ball rolled out from under him and Stowers dropped on the ball for a touchdown which was not allowed. Time up.

The men lined up as follows:

Whitman.		South High.
Hunton	L. T. End Right	Stowers
Harlow	" Tackle "	Vining
Brigham	" Guard "	Torrey
Ferguson	Centre	
Alden	Right Guard Left	Fearing
Clapp	" Tackle "	Duntlin
Gurney	" End "	Beals
Cook	Quarter-half	Holbrook
Callahan	Half Back	Ready, Tirrell
Valentine		Shaw
Emerson	Full Back	

Columbians Celebrate.

The Columbian club, of East Weymouth, celebrated Forty Years' Work by having their supper and Ladies' Night occur last evening. At 7.15 p. m., members and ladies with Bradford Hay, Miss Rachael Hawes, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Raymond, as invited guests, sat down to the tables which were in charge of Charles Humphrey, caterer at Masonic hall, and who did himself credit in the banquet furnished for the occasion.

At roll call, which followed the banquet, each member responded with some New England sentiment. Their responses were expressions of many of the best thoughts of the noted able writers on New England life and character. At the conclusion of the roll call the president, L. M. Norcross, made a brief address explaining the programme and giving a reason for the selection of the subject of the evening, "The Making of New England." The first sentiment in the programme was, "Influence of the Puritans." This was to be responded to by J. H. McDonald but, as he was called out of town meeting for a while, this response came later and was a glowing tribute to the work done by our fathers.

"Influence of the Town Meeting" was responded to by John A. Raymond with some very pertinent illustrations of men and measures as seen from his standpoint.

"Influence of Manufacturers," found a respondent in M. Sheehy who spoke from experience and observation of their part in the upbuilding of communities and through them, states and nations.

A song was next in order and "Hurrah! for Old New England" was given by a quartette composed of Mrs. Geo. W. Baker, Mrs. T. H. Emerson, T. H. Emerson and Joseph Chase Jr., with A. M. Raymond as accompanist. Mrs. Baker sang the solos to the above which was received with rounds of applause and was repeated.

"Influence of the Press" was the next sentiment and was responded to by M. E. Hawes. "Influence of Politics," found a respondent in the Rev. Daniel Evans who spoke of the purity of New England politics and its effect on the rest of the nation. "Influence of Christianity" was the final number and to it Daniel Evans responded, paying a glowing tribute to its power for good and the sacrifices which had been, and were being made that its influence might go on. Bradford Hawes, the guest of the evening was the last speaker and emphasized many of the points which had already been made, as well as introducing several new ones. America and other national hymns were sung and the meeting adjourned, pronouncing Fore Fathers' day and Ladies' Night a grand combination.

Officers for the next term are, George A. Miles, president; Joseph Chase Jr., vice-president; C. D. Cauterbury, secretary; C. B. Cushing, treasurer.

The Latest.

The Brockton Sunday Diamond, E. Gerry Brown, editor and publisher, is the latest addition to the press of this section. We welcome Mr Brown to the ranks and his Diamond to our exchange table. We think he will have enough to do in his chosen field as he states that whenever in his absence a wrong is done by an individual, institution or a system he proposes to attack it and advocate a change. We wish him success.

Weymouth Heights.

—The Misses Jones entertained a small party of lady friends at their home on Commercial street, on the evening of the 16th. The occasion was reported to be very enjoyable.

—Last Sunday morning the pastor preached a memorial sermon, having especial reference to the death and life of Deacon Loud, as reported last week. Appropriate music was rendered by the choir.

—The Ladies' Missionary society, auxiliary to the Woman's Board of Missions held a regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. William Humphrey.

—The Y. P. S. C. E., of the local church, had a business meeting previous to the regular service, on Sunday evening.

—The many friends of E. W. Arnold, our chorister, have solicitously awaited the outcome of his recent illness. We are glad to report that he is now very much better.

—One of the prettiest, most enjoyable and most interesting of any Sunday evening services held in our church, was that conducted on last Sunday evening by Miss Alice Humphrey of the Y. P. S. C. E. It consisted of the presentation of Mrs. Alice J. Harris's beautiful vesper service and a few temperance recitations by Sunday-school scholars. We would like to make especial mention of the Sunday evening talks by the pastor. They are adapted to all and have not an uninteresting feature about them. The present series is on the book of Pilgrim's Progress and lessons therefrom. They are given directly after the Y. P. S. C. E. meetings.

—The rehearsing for the Christmas services at the church has been constantly in progress since last week and the success of the concert seems assured. There will be opportunity tomorrow for friends to send or bring flowers or evergreen directly to the church. A committee will be in attendance there all day engaged in decorating the interior, and assistance of any sort will be gratefully received. Let everyone do something and then tell all your friends and ask them to come Sunday, both morning and evening. REX.

Norfolk Cycle Club Minstrels.

The Minstrel show of the Norfolk Cycle club, an entertainment which had been anticipated for the past few weeks, was held in Fogg's Opera House, Tuesday evening, Dec. 20th, before one of the largest audiences that ever assembled at an entertainment in this village. The members of the club who took part in this entertainment have been at work for the past two months and it is only through their diligence, the untiring efforts of the committee and the efforts put forth by J. Ed. Lakeman musical director, that a success was made. Mr. Lakeman was with the club but for very few of the rehearsals and his work is very greatly appreciated by the members of the club. Mr. Lakeman has won much fame as a composer, many of his pieces being used as will be seen by glancing at the programme below. The club was assisted by W. O. Lovell and W. C. Houston of Boston, and Lester Bates of East Weymouth who sang solos, Dan Haley, clog dancer; the Norfolk Banjo and Guitar club of Boston composed of the following: C. E. Clisbee, E. G. Barker, Herbert Gray, U. W. Fuller and J. B. Reed. This club took its name from the Cycle club and they were also assisted by Gile's Orchestra of Abington.

The officers of the club for 1892—1893 are; president, J. Howard Field; secretary, Walter L. Bates; treasurer, Nathaniel Stowers; captain, Charles H. Tinkham; lieutenant, Walter Field.

This club was organized May 30, 1890 with twelve members and at present has thirty-nine active, and nine associate members making a total of forty-eight.

As the curtain rose for Part I, the following faces were visible to the audience: W. Allen, interlocutor, W. C. Houston and W. L. Bates, bones; W. O. Lovell and N. A. Shaw, tambos; C. T. Foster, A. D. Murray, J. Allen, C. Clapp, John Vining, Bates Torrey, S. A. Vining, F. Allison, J. H. Field, W. Hawes, W. Field, L. Bates, I. Hawes, J. S. C. Blanchard, F. M. Clark, C. H. Tinkham, H. A. Bass, H. W. Sears, R. Fratt, F. H. Crosby, H. W. Dyer, Charles Tucker, W. Hocking, H. Vining and F. Belcher.

The stage was trimmed with green with a white background which gave the dark faces a good showing. Each man in the circle wore a full dress suit with the exception of the four in the third row who wore velvet jackets, wide collars and an immense white bow.

The following is the programme:

PART I.

Opening Chorus, Company.	Lakeman
Hole Me Down, W. L. Bates.	Snow
I'll await my love, C. T. Foster.	Howard
Don't forget There's a Wedding, W. C. Houston.	Ballon
I'm going to be a Soldier Ma, W. A. Allen.	Lakeman
Honey I'll never Leave You, N. A. Shaw.	Jerome
Hymn His Mother sang, L. Bates.	Douglas
Sarah Jane Matilda, W. O. Lovell.	Lakeman
Finale—Colored Four Hundred. Company.	

PART II.

Crystal Waltz. Norfolk Banjo Club.	C. Babb
One Mile Bicycle Race. F. Baker and F. Allison.	
One Mile Bicycle Race. J. Hunt and F. Clark.	
Topical Song, W. O. Lovell.	"There are Moments"
Clog Dance. Dan Haley.	Gray
A Trip to Darktown. Banjo Club.	
One Mile Bicycle Race.	
Between Winners of foregoing Races.	
Governor's Body Guard,	Lakeman.

PART III.

"Helen's Funny Babies," An Ethiopian Burlesque.

Cast of Characters:

Buddle,	H. W. Sears.
Toddle,	F. Allison.
Harry,	G. L. Wentworth.
Doctor Quince,	C. Clapp.
Snuffle,	J. F. Vining.
Perkins,	H. A. Bass.

Hits on our local townsmen were made during the first part of the programme which kept the audience on a broad smile. The work of the end men was done very well especially the work of N. A. Shaw, while W. A. Allen as Interlocutor could not have been better.

The Banjo club rendered two selections and was called to respond to an encore for each one.

Of Dan Haley we can say nothing new as he is well known. He was called out twice and would have responded a third time only for the lateness of the hour.

The first bicycle race was won by F. Allison. The second and the third races were won by J. F. Hunt. After the final race Mr. Hunt was called out on the stage and was presented with a beautiful L. A. W. Pin.

The programmes were the best ever seen at any entertainment in this village. They were in book shape, consisting of twelve pages, filled with advertisements and the programme. The front page was beautifully engraved. The programme was gotten up by the firm of Griffith, Axtell & Cady, Co. of Holyoke Mass., of which firm Eaton V. Reed, a member of the Norfolk Cycle club is a member of the book workmen. Mr. Reed designed the front page.

The Union Athletic club of Abington was present in a body and the village attended the entertainment in a body. The above clubs were entertained by the Norfolk club after the show. Cake, coffee, chocolate and cigars were furnished.

Bates Torrey as an Author.

The Portland Sunday Telegram of December 18 contains a story by Bates Torrey, entitled "Uncle Thax's Christmas Idea," occupying a conspicuous place in the 32-page Christmas number of that wide-awake journal.

It is a noticeable fact that *four* members of the old Portland Wheel club are represented in this Telegram. John Calvin Stevens, the eminent architect, and who conducted a party of artists and architects through Europe last summer, designs the cover of the paper. Philip Q. Loring, a clever versifier of the club, furnishes a poem—"A Christmas Toast." Elliott L. Mitchell, end-man last year for the Norfolk minstrels, contributes a funny darkey song—"Pete's Christmas Carol," full of jingle and jollity.

Mr. Torrey tells us that these are specimens of the membership the Portland Wheel club had in its palmiest days, when they easily made $500 on a minstrel performance.

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Marriages and Deaths

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In South Weymouth, December 20, Ann M. Lemon, aged 82 years, 2 months.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—The Z. L. Bicknell Hose Co. No 2, held the first of a series of social assemblies in Engine hall, last Friday night. A good party was in attendance and danced to the music of Cushing's orchestra. The company have added to the attractions of the hall a fine Jacob's piano.

—The improvements which have been made in the church of the Immaculate Conception include electric lighting which will be used for the first time on Christmas. The choir of this church under the direction of the organist, Miss Dwyer of Cambridge has been rehearsing St. Cecelia's Mass, by Charles Wels, for Christmas. Mass at 5.30 and 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 7.45 p. m.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roarty are receiving congratulations. The new arrival is a girl.

—Business was never better in the cut stock department of C. H. Pratt & Sons, and additional hands are being employed.

—As usual, at the holiday season, W. C. Earl at the Weymouth Clothing store has windows which are very attractive.

—Temperance hall was well filled Monday night at the regular meeting of the reform club and the committee on entertainment presented the following short programme: Organ solo, Ada Burrell; reading, I. M. Inkley; harmonica solo, Master Cutter; song and harmonica solo, Miss Addie Sitzger; a one act piece by Fred Loring, Ally Lucas, Willie Duree, Charles Cram and Ed. Ewell.

—The entertainment and sale of the Pansy Circle King's Daughters in the vestry of the M. E. church Monday night was one of the most pleasing affairs of the season. The programme consisted of a piano solo by Miss Lottie Randall; vocal duet, Misses Berta Raymond and Annie Powers; piano solo, Miss Marion C. Cain; dialogue, Misses Emma Bates and Georgia Cushing; reading, Miss Emma E. Bates; duet, Misses Annie Kilburn and Marion Cain; trio, Berta Raymond, Ella Raymond and Annie Powers; recitation, Bessie Randall; "Wreck of the Hesperus," Pansy circle assisted by Miss Julia Sylvester. This stirring narrative was illustrated by ten tableaux in which the circle took part and won for themselves a proud position by their fine postures and figures. The last number on the programme was piano duet by Mr. A. M. Raymond and Mrs. Charles Merchant.

—The sale of fancy articles and candies at the tables was good and the entire affair a success.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Burgess have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their little girl who died Monday night.

—Special Christmas services will be held in the Congregational church Sunday morning, music prepared for the occasion, and a Sunday school concert in the evening.

—W. H. Berry is remodeling and repairing the Nash house on High street, and when completed it will be quite a modern house.

—At the M. E. church, Christmas will be observed by musical and other services Sunday morning, Sunday school concert in the evening and a Christmas tree in the vestry, Monday night.

—A large party of friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Dizer visited them at their Boston home, Monday night, to join in the celebration of the tenth anniversary of their marriage.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. S. S. Marden next Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. Fred Raymond has moved to Brockton.

—The Sunday afternoon meetings of the Loyal Legion, which are being held in Temperance hall, are largely attended; about seventy-five of the young temperance workers were present last Sunday.

—The Young Men's Social club had a spirited discussion of the emigration question last Monday night. Strong arguments were used both for and against restrictions. The meeting of the club next week will be Tuesday instead of Monday night and officers for the ensuing six months will be elected.

—Sleds have been in great demand since Tuesday. The clear, cold weather which followed the slight snow storm made the best of coasting and boys and girls have improved it to the fullest extent. Article XIX of the town by-laws, for the time being, has been a dead letter in many places, as the boys have taken the streets for a coast in violation of it.

—Fred Raymond has vacated the house of Frank Lovell on High street and moved to Campello.

—A Christmas present arrived early this week at Mr. Roarty's. It was a girl.

—Will the members of the class of '88 N. H. S., who wish to go by coach to their annual reunion, please leave their names at C. W. Rice's before Tuesday.

—Warren S. Mitchell has accepted a position with W. M. Davis in the electric station at Birmingham, Conn.

—The Cemetery circle will meet with Mrs. Leonard Cain next Thursday afternoon and as there is much work to be done before the annual fair, a large attendance is desired.

—Next Friday night the Pansy club will hold their last Leap Year assembly in Masonic hall.

—The improvements on the Congregational church were begun yesterday and the work will be pushed to its completion.

—Mrs. Bela French had quite a serious fall at her home yesterday, but is getting along well with it.

—Mrs. A. B. W. Randall who has passed the 83d mile stone on life's road, has been seriously ill this week, but is improving.

—The Quincy & Boston Street Railway Co. will extend their franchise from Jackson to Commercial square.

—The week ending Saturday, the 17th, was a light one for the shipment of boots and shoes, only 520 cases getting away from all of our factories.

—One of the growing industries of the place is the store of Thomas F. Tobin on Lake street.

—The golden wedding of Capt. Nathan Goodspeed and wife will be one of the early celebrations of the New Year.

—Francis Cushing has been granted a pension on account of disabilities from rheumatism contracted while in the army.

Lovell's Corner.

—Mrs. Thomas Morgan has been quite ill the past week, but is now on the way to recovery.

—The Pratt and Holbrook schools will join in a Christmas tree and suitable Christmas exercises at the Pratt building this afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Reed are receiving congratulations this week on the arrival of a boy.

—John L. Maynard has accepted a position as driver of the pastry wagon of N. T. Tirrell.

—Edith Inkley has joined the army of workers at the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co.

Weymouth Centre.

—James Roberts, working at M. Sheehy's factory, lost an eye last week by a tack flying from the sole of the shoe on which he was working. It struck the pupil and destroyed the eyesight immediately.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—At the regular meeting of the Pilgrim Fathers Tuesday evening, was presented a very enjoyable entertainment by some of the members, assisted by L. P. Cooley and T. Ray Blanchard, both of whom won great applause for their performance on the guitar and banjo, and Miss Lura Oldham, who read several selections. The programme ended with a spread.

—Big John McDonald who was for a long time employed by David Ford, on his farm, as overseer, lately died in a hospital in the city. Since leaving the employ of Mr. Ford, he fell from a wagon and fractured his skull and his death was the result of the fall.

—There is to be a Sunday-school concert in the Universalist church, Sunday evening. Mr. Allen of Weymouth will lead the singing with a cornet.

—Jas. B. French has taken a position at Chas. H. Pratt's shoe shop, at East Weymouth, and D. W. Torrey is cutting at a shoe factory in Braintree.

—Ploughing on the 20th of December! ! ! This is just the work that Solomon Ford's men were engaged in on the above named date. If the winter continues as long into the summer season as the summer has into the winter season, we may be able to enjoy a sleigh ride on the Fourth of July.

—O. P. Fisher's tin shop was crowded Saturday evening by people who wished to hear the religious discussion usually held on the last evening of the week. Mr. Adams, whose name was mentioned last week, was present, as well as a gentleman from Quincy who addressed the assembly. It seems that there will be no more talks of this kind given there, as Mr. Torrey, the proprietor of the building, has raised objections to them. The plan of securing a hall in which to hold these meetings is being considered by a few interested parties.

—The Rev. Mr. Wheelock of Hingham, who preached at the afternoon service of the Pilgrim church last Sunday was furnished with a little excitement while returning home, according to the story of of one who met him. This person states that the clergyman's driver lost control of his horse and that both of the men were thrown out of the carriage. He says that their faces were badly cut and covered with blood.

—Miss Hannah Barnes made a flying visit to her home Sunday. She is at present engaged in business at Greenville, N. H.

—Albert Hawkes and Miss Anna Prentis were married Saturday evening. They will reside with Mr. Hawkes' mother.

—One of Tobian Miller's daughters was severely burned about the face and neck the other day while moving about the house with a lighted candle, which ignited a lace collar that she had on at the time.

—H. A. Davis has been suffering with an abscess but is out again.

—The Misses Robbins are having a system of hot water heating placed in their house by Rich & Marble of Hingham.

—Carpenter Chubbuck is shingling, and making general repairs on Noble Morse's residence.

—Remember the fine concert in the lecture course in the Universalist church next Tuesday evening.

The drama, "The Chaperon," which has proved so popular was again brought before a North Weymouth audience last Friday evening in the vestry of the Universalist church. The size of the audience on that evening showed that the merits of the acting were sufficient to warrant a repetition of the play. The whole performance was very good, and while some of the parts were naturally especially prominent, it may be said that each one of the actors appeared to have a good understanding of the requirements of the role that she enacted. The play itself is a bright little piece, and claimed the close attention of the audience during the three acts, which occupy about two and a half hours. The young ladies may well be proud of the efforts they have made in the dramatic line. Following the entertainment was a sale of ice cream and cake. The whole was under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. Below is the cast of characters:

Miss Morong, principal of Cranden Hall, Mrs. Eliza Pratt.
Mrs. Dynecourt, of Selbourne, Miss Emily Litchfield.
Mademoiselle Jeanne, Miss Clara Whiting.
Joyce Dynecourt, Miss Mary Spencer.
Judith Gray, Miss Clara Graves.
Phillis Reynolds, Miss Alice Beals.
Barbara Creighton, Miss Bertha Barker.
Susan Horton, Miss Mamie Flint.
Lillian Gordon, Miss Stella Dunbar.
Mollie Howard, Miss Carrie Litchfield.
Anna Dayton, Miss Fannie Chubbuck.
Daisy Rogers, Miss Lillie Williams.
Miriam, the Gypsy, Miss Carrie Robinson.
Jill, the Waif, Miss Emma Chubbuck.
Nora, Mrs. Dynecourt's maid, Miss Clara Beals.

—The ordination of the Rev. Allan B. Hudson takes place Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1892, in the Pilgrim church. The examination will be held in the afternoon, and the ordination services in the evening.

—The Ladies' Sewing circle of the Congregational church gave a very fine entertainment Wednesday evening in the vestry. The programme was as follows: Piano solo, Miss Clara Newton; song, Miss Minnie Hunt; reading, selection from Ben Hur, Miss Blanche Harrington; harmonica solo, Harry stiles; singing, by a quartette; xylophone solo, Mr. Pennington.

—Torrey, Bullivant & Co. close their factory Monday.

—C. H. Newton and family will as usual spend Christmas at New Bedford.

—L. P. Cooley has taken a position at Torrey's factory.

—The entertainment given by the Pilgrim Fathers, Tuesday evening "wound up" with an informal dance with F. A. Bicknell as floor manager. Charles Blanchard favored the company with a song.

—The oyster supper of the Ladies' Sewing circle of the Pilgrim church will be given next Tuesday instead of Wednesday, as the ordination occurs on the last named day.

East Braintree.

—C. N. Wallace has been elected commander of Edward M. Kinsley Post No. 113 G. A. R. of Boston.

—The M. E. society will hold its Christmas festivities on Monday evening the 26th. There will be the usual Christmas tree and appropriate exercises, and parents and friends are invited to send gifts to the church to be hung on the tree. The exercises will commence at 6 o'clock p.m.

—The Euchre club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Bowditch tonight.

—The wonders of the season, the prolonged mild weather and the long continued growth of grass and flowers in protected spots were illustrated forcibly to many last Sabbath as they looked upon a little perfect violet that had been picked upon the premises of Mrs. John Crane that morning. Flowers blooming in the open air Dec. 18th! Is this the same land where the Pilgrim Fathers encountered such terrible frost and snow?

J. S. KENNEY

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Weymouth Locals.

—Robert Condrick and John Hayes one evening recently shot fourteen ducks in the river. Pretty good sport to have after a day's work. No need to go to noted gunning resorts.

—The standard on the fountain at Lincoln square was knocked over again last Saturday, the chain catching in the harness of a team which had driven up, and on the horse starting up, the top was pulled over.

—Mrs. Michael Ford is ill with erysipelas.

—Louis Barney has moved into one of John Ford's houses on Washington street.

—F. F. Tilden has a handsome black and white stripped owl which was captured in the woods one day this week.

—Charles Carpenter arrived home Saturday from a three months' business trip through the west.

—William Hancock of Marlboro, formerly of this place, was in town over Sunday.

—Joshua Binney and daughter left Tuesday afternoon for California.

—Miss Annie Ashe accompanied her little neice, Miss B. O'Connor, to her home in Ware, Tuesday afternoon, where she will remain over Christmas.

—Herman L. Emerson left Boston on Tuesday for Jacksonville, Florida.

—Delphi lodge No. 15 K. of P. nominated a list of officers last evening to be balloted for at the next meeting.

—H. L. Thayer conveyed the members of Puritan lodge of Odd-fellows to Randolph Tuesday evening.

—Our storekeepers have an unusually fine stock of holiday goods. There is no need of going to Boston to buy Christmas goods when there is such a fine and varied stock to select from in our own town and at prices much under city prices.

—A gentleman and lady riding on Washington street, Sunday evening were run into by another team in which there was a party of young men under the influence of liquor. Both teams were badly damaged and the occupants thrown out but they all fortunately escaped with slight bruises.

—There has been an unusually large attendance at the various Sunday-schools the past few Sundays.

—Messrs. A. P. Worthen, Dr. G. D. Bullock, John F. Dwyer and John B. Whelan attended the banquet of the Young Men's Democratic club at the American house, Boston, last Tuesday evening.

—Our enterprising livery stable keeper, Geo. A. Hunt took his skates Monday morning and started for Pond Meadows intending to enjoy himself for a short time by skimming over the frozen surface, but before putting on his skates he walked out on the ice to see that it was perfectly safe. On arriving near the centre of the pond the ice broke. Mr. Hunt lost his skates and received a severe drenching being obliged to walk ashore, the ice breaking under him at every step. When he arrived on shore he was completely exhausted. He is now advising his friends not to go skating until we have a few days of zero weather.

—At the Universalist church, the Christmas services will be full of the spirit of the joyous season. Rev. B. F. Eaton will have a sermon appropriate to the day and special music will be given by the church choir. The Y. P. S. C. E. intend holding a Christmas service at 6.30 p. m. That festival so pleasing to the hearts of the little ones, a Christmas tree, will be held under the auspices of the Sunday school on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27.

—The new block system of signals, which the Old Colony R. R. has put in from Braintree to Old Colony House station, was used Sunday for the first time and was entirely satisfactory. The signals work automatically, being set by the train as it passes over, and one mile apart. They do away entirely with the old signals at the different stations.

—Arbutus assembly No. 18 will work the degree and elect their officers for the ensuing term, Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, 1892.

—The bank commissioners and secretaries of the various co-operative banks in the state held a meeting and dinner at the American house, Boston, Tuesday. Secretary C. G. Sheppard of the South Shore Co-operative bank attended.

—Robert A. Condrick is ill, threatened with a fever.

—Officers Garey and Fay, armed with a search warrant last Saturday evening, paid a visit to the domicile of Maureen Kennedy off Webb street. They found a bottle containing what was said to be liquor under the doorstep, but nothing was found inside the house. The officers, previous to their visit to Kennedy, left their team in the yard of a citizen who lives close by, and when they went to get it the team was gone. A search was at once instituted and they finally found the team. The person in whose yard the team was found on seeing it there got into it and drove to Washington square in hopes of finding the owner. After driving around some considerable time he found the officers. Explanations followed and each went his way.

—Rev. Mr. Huckel last Sunday completed a series of three sermons in preparation for Christmas, one on "The Religious Condition of Jerusalem at the Time of the Coming of Christ," the next on "Jewish Home Life at the Time of the Coming of Christ," and the last on "Jewish Prophecies Concerning Christ." They gave a graphic historical setting for the great event that Christmas celebrates.

—The little folks of the Sunday school of Union church will have their Christmas tree on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will be the treat of candies, oranges and Christmas souvenirs, and an entertainment, jolly and informal, recitations and songs by the little children, and one or two Christmas stories by the pastor. The parents of the little ones are invited.

—*Institute Special.*—There will be no gymnasium classes at the Institute on Monday, Dec. 26, Christmas Monday. Mr. Hird will meet his classes on Wednesday and Friday of that week, and Mrs. Connell as she has announced to her classes. There were twenty in the men's classes last Wednesday evening, and the ladies' class is equally successful. The two physical directors are very popular.

—Miss Lucille Mae Sheppard will have charge of the Christmas music at the Union church. The morning programme (as published in the notices) is excellent, and the evening service, the Christmas vespers, promises to be very enjoyable.

—Miss Clara P. West, who has been attending Vassar College, arrived home Thursday for the Christmas holidays.

—The annual Christmas tree and festival of the Baptist Sunday-school will be held in the vestry this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock. All friends of the school and children are invited.

—Alden, the photograph, has been very busy with the holiday trade for photos.

—Mr. Tirrell, of the Weymouth Bakery, appeared out in the first sleigh of the season Wednesday morning. It was hardly more than a coat of frozen dew, but around the square the runners slipped quite easily.

—Christmas will be observed at Trinity church, Weymouth, beginning on Christmas eve, Saturday, Dec. 24. On this day at 7.15 p. m. there will be the usual children's festival with the singing of new carols from the selection called "Glimpses of Bethlehem for Christmas 1892." At this service, there will be a Christmas tree loaded with presents for the Sunday school and the church will be decorated with evergreen. On Sunday, Christmas Day, there will be service in the church with music appropriate to the day at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. In the morning the Holy Communion will be administered, and Rev. William Hyde will preach on "Christmas, and Christ's Method of Regenerating the World" In the evening, his subject will be, "Thoughts for Christmas Day." The Sunday-school will meet after the morning service. All are welcome to these services.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Improvement association will meet with Miss S. Jane Clapp, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 28. A full attendance is requested.

—Miss Annie F. Loud's latest solo, "The Midnight Sun," will be sung at the Union church next Sunday evening.

—Baker's express broke down in South Boston last evening. A relief team was despatched upon the receipt of a telephone and the goods were reloaded and reached Weymouth at a late hour.

—John Griffin has been granted a pension of $8 per month.

—The condition of Samuel Curtis, who has been seriously ill for some time, remains about the same.

—Mrs. James H. Flint is ill with a serious cold.

—C. G. Easterbrook is out again and attending to business after being confined to the house for several days with a painful wound caused by stepping on a nail.

—Gideon Higgins of Conway, Mass., is the new clerk at A. M. Bachelder's pharmacy.

—The will of the late Francis E. Loud was filed in the Norfolk Registry yesterday. It contains no public bequests.

—The officers of Weymouth Council No. 747, Royal Arcanum, will be installed Jan. 6.

—The Commonwealth club, who gave such a successful party a short time ago, are to hold another one at an early date.

—Friday was visitor's day at the North High school, and a programme consisting of recitations and singing was given. Exercises was also held at a number of the other schools in this ward and the children presented with bags of candy and other articles.

—The sidewalks are in a terribly slippery condition. A little sand would help locomotion considerable.

—A detective was in town yesterday looking up the record of William Dolby, formerly foreman at the farm of C. H. Andrews. Dolby is wanted for passing a worthless check.

—The schools close tonight for one week.

—The church bells of Weymouth will ring Christmas morning—the Baptist bell from 7.00 to 7.10; the Universalist bell from 7.10 to 7.20; the old Paul Revere bell of the Union church from 7.20 to 7.30.

—At the church of the Sacred Heart no special Christmas music has been prepared. High Mass will be at 5 o'clock a. m. and at 10.30 a. m. A. Vesper service will be held at 7. p. m.

—Yesterday, the 22d, was an anniversary day with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell B. Clapp. It was just seventeen years ago that they were married.

—Our local dealers show superb lines of useful and ornamental articles for the holidays, Why should you not spend the largest share of your money at home among your friends? Your little purchases will aid them and benefit your town if made here. If made in Boston, your little Christmas fund will be simply lost in the great whirlpool and no one will feel any fresh impetus from your patronage.

—Miss Theresa M. Jenkins, who is teaching in Pawtucket, R. I., has been spending a week's vacation at home.

—Rev. Mr. Hyde attended confirmation exercises at Hingham recently and had the pleasure of listening to Bishop Brooks.

—At the Baptist church Christmas will be observed by special music and appropriate sermon. See church notice.

1786-1892.

The one hundred and seventh annual meeting of the old Stoughton Musical society will be held in Stetson hall, Randolph, Monday, Dec. 26. Rehearsals will take place at 3 p. m. and election of officers, reports from officers and committees; also report from secretary regarding Columbian exposition concerts, at 4.30 o'clock. Hot turkey supper at Howard house at 5.30 p. m. Evening concert at 7 o'clock. Members will please bring the "Old Stoughton Musical Society's Centennial Collection." Admission 25 cents.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank of So. Weymouth,

—AT—

S. WEYMOUTH, IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

At the close of Business, Dec. 9, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	$278,133 45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	14 55
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation,	37,500 00
Stock, securities, etc.,	17,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	11,733 61
Current expenses and taxes paid,	822 38
Checks and other Cash items,	1,545 01
Bills of other banks,	2,926 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels & cents,	17 41
Specie,	9,182 50
Legal tender notes,	4,000 00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer,	
Five per cent of circulation,	1,687 50
Total,	$364,562 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,	$150,000 00
Surplus Fund,	50,000 00
Undivided Profits,	10,797 10
National Bank notes outstanding,	32,150 00
Dividends unpaid,	117 00
Individual deposits, subject to check,	121,498 31
Total,	$364,562 41

State of Massachusetts. County of Norfolk. } S. S.

I, J. H. STETSON, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. STETSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and swern to before me, this 16th day of Dec. 1892.

QUINCY L. REED, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. B. REED, JOSEPH DYER, JOHN A. FOGG, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Union National Bank of Weymouth,

AT WEYMOUTH, IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

At the close of Business, Dec. 9, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	$357,554 33
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation,	50,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.,	20,184 76
Due from approved reserve agents,	8,121 11
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures,	11,757 00
Current expenses and taxes paid,	847 39
Checks and other Cash items,	3,266 48
Bills of other banks,	2,433 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels & cents,	36 03
Specie,	9,917 20
Legal Tender Notes,	5,575 00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer,	
Five per cent of circulation,	2,250 00
Total,	$671,912 00

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,	$400,000 00
Surplus Fund,	80,000 00
Undivided Profits,	23,018 67
National Bank Notes outstanding,	42,620 00
Dividends unpaid,	1,621 00
Individual Deposits, subject to check,	124,446 23
Demand Certificates of Deposit,	225 00
Total,	$671,912 00

State of Massachusetts. County of Norfolk. } S.S.

I, JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of December, 1892.

LLOYD BRIGGS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

EDWIN P. WORSTER, HENRY A. NASH, FRANCIS AMBLER, } Directors.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

FRANCIS E. LOUD,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased,

Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary T. Loud of Weymouth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, one of the executors therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

37.39 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

South Weymouth Items.

—Next Sunday being Christmas, will be observed in all the churches by extra preparations of music and concert by the Sunday-schools. The concert at the Union church will be held in the audience room at 6 o'clock. This concert is under the direction of Mrs. L. A. Cook and Miss Mary A. Fogg. The concert at the Universalist church will be held at the usual time, seven o'clock.

—The Christmas festival at the Universalist church will be held in the vestry of the church this evening.

—The festival at the Union church is to be held next Monday evening, Dec. 26. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock. The entertainment is in charge of Miss Ella M. Clark and Mrs. Geo. B. Rogers. A tree will be prepared for the younger members of the school.

The date for the second annual ball given by the Hawthorne club is fixed for Feb. 2 Music will be furnished by Brigham's orchestra.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reed entertained the Union church and society socially last Friday evening. Refreshments were served during the evening and a general good time was enjoyed by both old and young.

—The Christmas concert at the Union church next Sunday evening will probably be one of the best ever held. The time is changed from seven to six o'clock. The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting will be held after the concert.

—Next Tuesday evening the next entertainment in the Co-operative course will be given by the celebrated Adamowski Quartette, composed by members of the Boston Symphony orchestra, under the leadership of Herr T. Adamowski. Miss Julia King will also appear in pleasing selections. This will undoubtedly be a very fine concert.

—There was a large gathering of the Old South people at their parsonage last Wednesday evening for a social time, which was highly enjoyed. The society will have a Christmas supper and celebration in the church next Wednesday.

—At a meeting of the Old South church held last Sunday afternoon the following motion was made: All those in favor of a union of the two Congregational churches will vote Yes, and those opposed, No. The motion was carried and the result was that ten voted in favor of union and fifty-five against it. A vote was then passed that the clerk be instructed to communicate the following resolution with the full proceedings of this meeting to the Union church: Resolved, that in arriving at our final conclusion in respect to the question of the union of the two churches, we desire to place on record that we have been animated by no feeling of unfriendliness toward our sister church, that we are attached to our own church home and to our pastor, and feel that all things considered, the action we have taken will best promote the cause of religion in this place at the present time; and that we assure the members of the Union church of our best wishes for their prosperity, and christian usefulness in the future.

—Mr. Chas. Harris, one of our former residents and for the past few years a resident of North Abington, died at his residence last Sunday afternoon. He had been sick for about a year and a half with consumption. The funeral services were held from the Universalist church, Abington, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Pease of Abington and Rev. Mr. Atwood of this village conducted the services. The deceased was a member of Wildey lodge I.O.O.F., and about thirty members of the order attended the services in a body. The Odd Fellows service was used in addition to the regular service. Gordon Willis, Alvin Hollis, Geo. C. Torrey, Chas. Clapp, A. F. Bullock and F. A. Dunbar acted as pall-bearers. Deceased was 42 years of age and leaves a widow and one son.

—One of the most successful socials of the season was held in the vestry of the Universalist church last Thursday evening. The social took the form of a "Sunflower Tea." A sunflower was placed at each plate and about eighty sat down to supper. The entertainment was furnished by the young people.

—Misses Ella W. Clark and Gertrude Packard furnished the evening's entertainment at the social given by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reed last Friday evening.

—Frank Oakes Rose will deliver the lecture, "Through London with Dickens," tomorrow night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eaton V. Reed of Holyoke are in town on a short visit. Mr. Reed is with a large printing house in the above city.

—Arthur Heald was away on a business trip the first part of the week.

—The stores in town are open every evening later than usual this week on account of the extra sales for Christmas.

PERO'S CORRESPONDENCE.

—Mrs. J. S. Fogg has left town and closed up her fine residence for the winter. She will make her stay at the Vendome for a short time, after which she will travel South.

—Miss Maggie McGilvery and John Kelley will take the oath for better or for worse on New Year's day.

—C. A. Hunt will close his residence for the winter and take quarters with his family at Wollaston hotel. South Weymouth is, verily, a summer resort.

—The sociable at H. B. Reed's was truly a most sociable gathering.

—Mrs. Isaac Degatt has returned to Florida. We are told that it is her intention to dispose of her property there and return to South Weymouth and make it her home.

—The great question of the day is, Will poultry raising pay? For information inquire of Henry Packard who does quite a business in that line.

—It is rumored that John A. Fogg will at an early date erect a new building on the site south of Columbian square.

—Two shares of the Rockland Union store were sold at auction last week for $85, their par value being $10 each. This is one of the best managed stores in Plymouth County and commands a very large trade, paying a dividend to its share-holders annually of $5 per share.

—A horse owned by D Sullivan took some lively strides on Pond Plain a few days ago. It was not what would be called a "light hitch" as he had a load of hay behind him.

—On the 8th of January the State Board of Agriculture will send a man from New Jersey to talk to the people about farming. The subject will be "Cranberries; How to Raise Them; Their Profits, etc." Now will the citizens come out to hear him. Due notice will be given and we most earnestly invite a full house to hear a man who takes the pains to come from New Jersey to talk to us.

—A. B. Raymond has just purchased a fine carriage horse which looks very much like the grey that was lost by the fire.

—The Union society will hold a meeting this evening (Friday) to take action in regard to calling a pastor.

—Marden Junior Auxilary, an organization of ladies, met with Mrs. Alfred Tirrell last Monday and were entertained by Mrs. Snyder from Turkey.

—It is possible, but not at all probable, that the two churches will unite. It has been in the hands of committees and joint committees, of which the Union society have been unanimous every time. At a meeting of the church of the Second church on the 11th an informal ballot resulted, 29 in favor and 17 against. Last Sabbath, on a formal ballot 10 in favor and 56 against uniting.

—A new local paper is in circulation in this village called the South Weymouth Sun. It is edited by a Mr. Pratt of this village, the printing being done in North Abington.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—The Christmas week attraction at the Grand Opera House is a strong one and will doubtless be one of the best drawing cards in Boston that week. Already has "A Fair Rebel," which is the offering for glad Christmas time, won the plaudits of thousands of Boston theatre-goers and it is such a realistic and life-like drama that it is sure to draw its former audiences and also make new friends on this occasion. The play will be presented under the personal direction of Harry Mawson and the leading role will be essayed by Miss Fannie Gillett, the accomplished and beautiful actress. Something like seventy people will be used in the production and real horses, howitzers, fifers, drummers and gunpowder are sure to rouse the enthusiasm of the auditors. The melodies of the war times will be given by a male quartette.

GLOBE THEATRE.—DeWolf Hopper and his admirable ensemble of comedians and singers presenting that delightfully humorous and charmingly melodious comic opera "Wang," which has, during the past two seasons, literally packed the largest theatres and opera houses in the principal cities of this country, will form the holiday attraction during Christmas and New Year's weeks, at the Globe theatre, Boston, Mass., commencing at the matinee on Christmas day—Monday, December 26th. This picturesque and tuneful composition has received the unanimous favor of the critics everywhere, as well as the most enthusiastic endorsement of its thousands upon thousands of delighted auditors. The gorgeous and elaborate stage settings, the tinkling jingling music, the sprightliness of the dialogue, the unctuous humor of the comedians, the seductive sweetness of the solos, duetts, trios and quartettes, the clever topical songs, the four little tots, the two funny elephants and numerous other attractive features were quite sufficient to crowd the spacious Broadway theatre, New York City, for over 300 nights. Genial DeWolf Hopper, who again appears at the Globe theatre, Boston, on next Monday afternoon, is sometimes called the prince of singing comedians, and the cast which surrounds him during his tour this season, is almost identically the same as during his former visit, while the chorus is one of the largest, prettiest and most effective ever seen in comic opera. All of the elaborate scenery, the same magnificent, showy costumes, as well as all the original accessories will be utilized, including Hopper's wonderful performing elephant, Romeo, who is said to be as thirsty and as stubborn as ever, and who will drink his customary allowance of beer at each performance. Romeo, on his return visit to Boston, will be accompanied by a diminutive baby elephant, who is said to be very lively and amusing. Mr. Hopper's engagement at the Globe theatre is limited to two weeks. Regular matinee on Saturdays, also special matinee performances on Christmas and Wednesday of second week. Parties living at a distance can secure seats by telephone, mail or telegram, upon application to treasurer of the Globe theatre.

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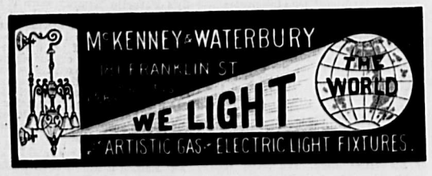

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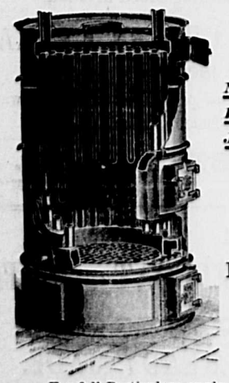

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CHRISTMAS CAROL.

The earth has grown old with its burden of care,
But at Christmas it always is young;
The heart of the jewel burns lustrous and fair,
And its soul full of music breaks forth on the air,
When the song of the angels is sung.

It is coming, Old Earth, it is coming tonight!
On the snowflakes which cover thy sod
The feet of the Christ child fall gentle and white,
And the voice of the Christ child tells out with delight
That mankind are the children of God.

On the sad and the lonely, the wretched and poor,
That voice of the Christ child shall fall,
And to every blind wanderer open the door
Of a hope that he dared not to dream of before,
With a sunshine of welcome for all.

The feet of the humblest may walk in the field
Where the feet of the holiest have trod,
This, this is the marvel to mortals revealed
When the silvery trumpets of Christmas have pealed
That mankind are the children of God.

—Phillips Brooks in Ottawa Free Press.

UNITED AT YULETIDE

"Mistletoe be blowed, sir!" said the major. "mistletoe be blowed!"

He gazed sententiously at his boots as he spoke, and then, with a more mollified intonation, remarked, "They leak, Sid, my boy, they leak—leak like sieves, sir; but no matter."

Then he wiggled a protruding toe the better to emphasize his statement, and at every wiggle the obedient sole leather fluttered away from the upper and flapped in softened resonance with the sound of a muffled castanet.

"If you only knew them you'd come," persisted the younger man. "Why, major, it's Christmas, you know, and—and—well, they know you're a friend of mine, and they're not so stuck up as you say, and if you'd only come just think of the fun you'd have. It would be just like the old times over again. You'd fancy yourself a boy. Pretty girls, you know; jolliest sort of a dinner; old fashioned as you please."

Major Mackling was forty, and he looked fifty two. Where he came from or why he came nobody seemed to know or want to know. His nose was long and pointed, his bristly mustache was gray, and his hair was thin about the temples. There were deep lines from his nostrils down to his chin, and around his eyes were networks of queer little crow's-feet wrinkles. Still he had not a hard sort of a face, for though there were lines between his eyebrows and on his forehead the eyes themselves were soft and dreamy and gray, as if they were always looking for something beyond the heavens. And if the truth be told those gray eyes were the index to the major's character. He was a dreamer—a disappointed dreamer. And disappointed dreamers, when they reach a certain age, begin to get tired of waiting for the dream that never comes true. Hence the lines about the eyes and nostrils.

Cyril Thompson—they always called him Sid—liked the major because he was his own antithesis. He was only twenty-five, but dreaming was not one of his vices. Sometimes, of course, as boys will do, he would paint himself pretty fancies of happy things in the future. But those fancies were homely little genre sketches, so to speak, when compared to the golden canvases of the major's more trained and vivid imagination.

He placed his ideal in an accessible spot near by; the major's never came nearer haunts of men than the loftier peaks of the Himalayas.

The friendship of the pair was a pure case of met by accident. While doing the town one evening Thompson had recklessly entered one of those restaurants where a "Diner a la table d'hote; vin compris; cinquante sous" is the main and sole attraction. Many times had he heard of the poetic Bohemia which congregated itself in such places, and he pined to see it at home.

At the same table with him sat an elderly man, with a long nose and grizzled gray mustache. He knew how to use his napkin, and never let his knife subserve the proper ends of a fork.

"I beg your pardon, sir," said he, with the bow of a Chesterfield, "but can you oblige me with a nickel for these pennies? I like to tip Dominic, you see, sir," he continued, "but pennies! you know, sir, pennies!" and he shook his head in a gesture of ineffable contempt.

His manner was mildly patronal. He even seemed to be conferring a kindness in asking his new friend in a couple of glasses of curacoa. But still he was charmingly original and mild. His demeanor invited confidence, and he gradually drew from Thompson his entire genealogical tree. He took fifteen minutes to learn that Thompson pere sold coffee on the wholesale plan. Three minutes later he was aware that Thompson mere had departed this vale of tears when Cyril was still an infant. From that it was but a step to infer that the youth was an only child, and long before they parted the major knew all about a little darling, with blue, blue eyes and gilt edged curls, who was altogether the sweetest girl in this whole wide world, the loveliest and the best.

"So!" said the major as Cyril told him. "I knew that long ago, my boy. I've often felt that way myself."

And as they walked home together, the youngster going a mile or so out of his way to accompany his new acquaintance, they exchanged further confidences at a rate that was entirely in the old man's favor. As they neared the corner of a street where cheaper lodgings abound the major stopped to say goodby.

"But you haven't told me what you are, major. Where is a fellow to find you?" asked Thompson.

"I live down here, my boy—top floor, 263. What am I, you say? Nothing, my boy, nothing. Only a dreamer—just a dreamer—a dreamer of dreams—a disappointed dreamer. Good night, my boy, good night."

He disappeared in the shadows. He was gone.

But somehow the lad got interested. Professional dreamers of dreams were new things to him, and the next day he again hunted up the major. He found that the old gentleman was the fortunate possessor of $450 a year.

"Just ten dollars a month for rent, my boy, one dollar a day for victuals, fifteen dollars a year over for minor extravagances; but the clothes, my boy; d——n the clothes! They must depend upon luck!"

The spring had gone by and the summer, and the strange friendship had grown stronger. Then the fall came, and Cyril did not see the major quite so often, and when he did so it was to talk of nothing but a little girl with shining gold curls and blue, blue eyes.

And on those occasions, after the boy had said good night, the major would sit up for hours and hours on his bed, and with his head in his hands meditate half through the night. Then he would lower the gas and crawl in between the sheets.

"What does it all matter now?" he would sigh to himself, "what does it all matter now? They are all lost, all buried—all, even the dreams!"

And the panorama of a dead decade would sweep past his eyes ere ever they closed in restless slumber. The sunny plantation in the south, the girl that loved him, the marriage that the sun smiled on, the honeymoon in the west. Then the dreams of a dreamer, the thirst for boundless wealth, the schemes, the great speculation, the burst bubble, the weak remorse drowned in worthless dissipation, the deserted wife, the divorce.

The clippings were all there in that little leather wallet. Just the mention of the divorce secured by the wife of the ex-financier who had gone to smash and vanished five years before.

And that was all ten years ago.

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Christmastide had come around and Cyril Thompson had brought an invitation to the major. How was he to know that his strange friend feared the face of society as a scalded cat dreads water? He only knew that he pitied him, and in his pity hoped that some day he might kick a little ambition into the major's dead soul.

"You see, major, I'm going to marry her anyhow," he had explained, "and when we're married you'll have to make friends with her, so it's just as well to do so now as later."

The major shook his head.

"I know you're a misogynist, and hate women, and all that sort of thing," persisted the boy, "but you'll have to love Louise if you care for me, and—well, as I said, it will only be a family party. Lou's a half orphan, you know, but her mother's a brick and her cousins are awfully nice people, and you're sure to like them all. We'll only ourselves be there, and it will be a regular Christmas dinner, with holly and ivy and mistletoe."

Oh, how the major hated Christmas, its gladness and its festivities! The very memories of those happy Christmasses of the dead past accentuated that hate and imbittered it. It was on Christmas day that he had first dared to kiss the woman he had afterward deserted. They had brought down from New York the mistletoe from the other side of the sea. He had dared to snatch the kiss she was dying to give as she stood beneath its white berried branches. All the rest of the merry evening he had sat drinking in her sweetness with all his eyes, and later on in the night, when only the two of them were together, he had built the first of his dream castles as he sat beside her and kissed and caressed her again.

It all came back when Cyril mentioned the mistletoe. There she stood in loose white muslin, the sunny beauty of the south. The candle light seemed laughing in her golden hair as he approached her; the red flush rose in her cheeks at his touch.

Ah, that was love!

But now love was all dead, all withered, all gone in the long ago.

The major cursed himself up and down for recalling it, and angrily flapped the loose sole of his boot against the register.

Cyril was gone. The major hardly noticed his absence, but ejaculated, "You're a brick, Cyril, my boy!" as though he thought the lad were near by.

In the dim light of the afternoon Cyril had not noticed that the lines in his friend's face were more drawn than usual; that his eyes were brighter than they had ever seemed before, and that there was a strange pallor over his gray features. Neither did he notice much the maid of all work's inquiry, "Is himself all right, sir?" But then, you see, he had not learned that it was now three days since the major had stirred from his room.

As the evening wore on the major never altered his attitude, though he mumbled strange things to himself.

First he called himself a driveling idiot; then a hectic flush would mount his face and he extolled himself as a penitent martyr.

"Serves you right, you coward; serves you right," he muttered, and his eyes gleamed exultingly. "Who's to pity you now? What good are your dreams, you idiot? Starve, d—— you! Starve, starve, you dreamer of dreams!"

He had not eaten anything for five days. It was the 24th of December, and he knew he would have no money wherewith to purchase even a roll before the advent of the new year. Yet he gloried in it—gloried fiendishly.

"Tomorrow's Christmas!" he chuckled. "Well, you loafer, you can dream of its dinners and bijas! You've dreamed before, you dreamer; dream now. Fill yourself, glut yourself with dreams!"

And again he tapped the register with his broken shoe and crooned over it, and though the darkness had settled like a pall he still forbore to light the gas or stir from his seat in the corner.

Presently he saw one of the most fantastic dreams of a bygone folly take shape outside in the gloom and creep in through a chink in the window. It was once a beautiful dream—a vision of endless fame and millions. It crawled in through a chink and stealthily crept behind him. He begged of it to go away, but it only jeered at him and then disguised itself in the garb of a horrible shroud. The shroud was feid and dire and black and froze his soul with terror. It came and wound itself all around him, and stifled and choked him with its weight and clamminess. He tried to shriek out, but the ghost of another dead dream came and strangled him and gagged his mouth with a gag. Then another dream of glory came and metamorphosed itself into his head, and all the other dreams his fancy once had painted came disguised as cold lumps of lead and pounded themselves against the inside of his stomach.

On Christmas morning the maid of all work found him there, limp and unconscious, a senseless lump of humanity jumbled up in a heap beside the register.

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It was a charming Christmas party. A bit old fashioned and unpretentious for people of wealth and fashion perhaps, but then, as it was purely a family affair, they none of them minded looking free and easy.

The coffee merchant himself was there with his son, and he seemed proud of the boy as he watched him hovering after the little girl with the blue eyes and the gold curls.

The cousins, too, were of the best. Old Mr. Hartley looked as if he ought to have been an archbishop. Mr. Hartley, junior, was a species of perambulating smile. He loved everybody and everything, and his lines always fell in easy places. His wife was one of those pudgy little women who are always in a fuss until some emergency turns up and then become as cool as clams. Her two children "favored the father" and were always grinning under their merry little turned up noses.

In fact, they were all dear, good people, and as fond of each other as fond could be.

"And why didn't your friend, the major, come along?" asked pudgy little Mrs. Hartley as the dinner got under way.

"Yes, my boy, you should have insisted upon his coming," added Grandpaps Hartley from the head of the table. "We're all kin as

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JOHN A. FIELD,
late of Weymouth, in said county deceased,
Greeting:
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas H. Devlin of Boston, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond, pursuant to said will and statute.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at said Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.
Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.
37.39 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT

TO the Next-of-Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
PALMER E. LOUD,
late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, intestate:
Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John A. Raymond of Weymouth, in the county of Norfolk.
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36-38 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
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TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of
FRANCIS E. LOUD,
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MISTAKEN IDENTITY;

OR, HOW WILLIAM BURNETT'S NEW YEAR'S CALL WAS MISAPPLIED.

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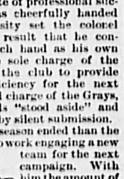
TWO men having the same name called on business at the residence of Colonel Tom Taylor one New Year's day. In itself that would have been nothing of a startling nature, however unconventional and untimely the double incident might be considered, but a mistake came out of it, changing the whole course of life of several people, and illustrating with full force the truth of the old hymn which tells us "on what a slender thread hang everlasting things."

Colonel Taylor was a widower, possessed of one child, a large fortune, an eccentric disposition and an abiding belief in himself. Nobody could recite the circumstances which brought to the colonel his military title. The colonel himself never volunteered the information, and no one of his acquaintance had courage to seek it at headquarters. The general belief finally settled upon the theory that the man's pugnacity and his ability to command obedience to his purposes at all times earned for him the title without the formal baptism in blood upon the field of battle.

Colonel Taylor was the great man of Charlestown by reason of his superior riches and his self asserted and undenied leadership in every public measure out of which money, glory or prominence might be expected to come. The summer before that fateful New Year's day he had become a baseball crank. Getting caught in the whirlwind of local excitement which followed the successes on the diamond of the Charlestown Grays, Colonel Taylor straightway evinced a strong interest in the club. Then he was asked to accept the presidency and he consented. The office was bestowed upon him for the purpose of securing thereby a liberal contribution in cash to aid in liquidating a deficit in the treasury which had befallen the club in spite of professional success. The check was cheerfully handed over, but its necessity set the colonel thinking, with the result that he concluded just some such hand as his own was needed to take sole charge of the business policy of the club to provide against another deficiency for the next year, and he assumed charge of the Grays, while the ex-officials "stood aside" and saved their energies by silent submission.



No sooner had the season ended than the new president went to work engaging a new team for the next campaign. With him the amount of salary was not a consideration if the player happened to be a desirable quantity. His liberality would have made him popular with the players if he had not, by his business relations with them, let each man understand that a social Niagara rolled and roared between president and player over which no suspension bridge could ever be thrown. The center fielder, an excellent player and valuable member of the nine, so far forgot the difference between himself and the president that, in passing the latter on the street one day, he saluted with a "Hello, colonel!" Three hours later he was in possession of his release.

By midwinter the Grays' complement had been engaged, with the exception of one more good, strong, reliable pitcher, and Colonel Taylor announced mysteriously that he had "lines out for just the man," and with the aid of a friend he expected to land his fish before the new year was many days old.

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On this New Year's morning of our story the colonel was breakfasting with Annie, his only child. He was in one of his abstracted moods, as indicated by the corrugated folds of the skin above his eyebrows and the reckless way in which he dealt with his breakfast. Annie being a wise child knew her father and knew his peculiarities. It was not for her to prod him out of such a fit of abstraction, and whatever she had to say to him was for the time being deferred.

An interruption to the scene of silence came when a servant brought in the morning's mail and laid several letters before the master of the house. He turned his immediate attention to the correspondence. The contents were important, as Annie knew by the snorts, wheezes, scowls, grunts and coughs which accompanied the colonel's perusal. The daughter quietly watched her father as he read his letters, trying to read their contents by the reflection from his face.

"No bad or unpleasant news anyhow," was her mental comment after studying the signs.

Annie Taylor was as beautiful as she was wild, willful and untutored in the conventionalities of the world. Her mother died when Annie was five years old, and after that sad day she never knew a woman's watchful care, and her maiden heart grew wild, like the flowers of the field. After the death of his wife Colonel Taylor would have none but servants about his house, and Annie was growing to womanhood with no gentle hand to restrain the impulsive nature inherited from her father.

She had been away at boarding school, it is true, but there she found restraint only by rule, and her waywardness was hedged in; not cured. She was at home spending the winter holidays with her father, as had been her yearly custom.

Having finished his last letter Colonel Taylor lowered his chin, rolled up his eyes, peered at his child over his spectacles as if he were a connoisseur studying an article of virtu, and merely snorted, "Humph!"

"Good news, papa?" asked Annie, returning his stare over her coffee cup.

"Yes," snapped the colonel sententiously. Then he made a charge at the broiled chicken on his plate.

"What?"

"You're not going back to school."

"No!" It was an exclamation with a rising inflection, full of heavenly ecstacy and accompanied by clasped hands, a joyful smile and a suppressed shriek of delight.

"You're going to get married."

"No!" This time the exclamation had the falling inflection. The clasped hands dropped into her lap with a dull, sickening thud, as they say in the accident column of the newspapers, and the suppressed shriek of delight gave way to a suppressed mixture of moan and sob.

The colonel merely grunted, scowled and drank deep of the contents of his cup.

"I—get married? Why, papa! I've never been in love, even once."

"Great Scott! And what of it? There's plenty of time for love—after you are married. Why, you're only seventeen."

"But—but—no young man has ever had a chance to show me any attention and make love to me"— she was saying earnestly when her father interrupted with a bang on the table with his fist.

"Well, I should say not. Young men hereabout know your father too well to fool with their lives in that way."

"Oh, papa, surely you do not intend to deprive me of having some fun, as every girl has before she marries, by flirting with the boys."

"Fun! You call that fun?" roared the colonel. "I call it idiocy. A sensible girl gets married when the right man turns up, and"——

"But no man at all has turned up for me that I know."

"He hasn't, hey? Well, he will! I'll produce the right man. Don't trouble your little head about a small thing like that."

"Oh, certainly not, if you are assuming all the responsibilities. But might I be allowed to know who he is? Perhaps I've never seen him."

"Well—no, you have not."

"That's one comfort. An entire stranger to doubt!"

"Not at all. It's your cousin."

"My cousin?"

"Your cousin—William Burnett, who has been in Germany at school the last ten years."

"The original of the picture hanging above your desk in the library?"

"The same."

"I don't like him."

"You don't know if you do or not; you never saw him."

"Why, his portrait?"——

"You are not marrying the portrait. That was done three years ago. No doubt he has greatly improved since then. That is a small part of the affair, however. A girl can learn to respect any man who is suited to her and—his money."

"Then he is rich?"

"Very."

"When did you kindly arrange all this for me?"

"Fifteen years ago his father and I were bosom friends. When his son was ten years old and you were two we betrothed our children. I then took an oath that, so far as my power extended, my daughter should marry William Burnett when she grew to womanhood."

Annie sighed. Then she meekly asked:

"When am I to see this affianced husband?"

"Today."

She flushed and half started from her chair.

"Today?"

"He has written that he expects to call and close all arrangement in person on Jan. 1: that is today."

"So kind of him. Then I am to understand that these arrangements have been forming between you for some time?"

"Certainly; by mail."

"It wasn't thought advisable to consult me about them?"

"Why, no. What was the use of boring you over preliminaries? You and he can fix up little minor details which we may have forgotten."

Annie knew her father's eccentric nature; his passion for indulging strange whims; his exaction of explicit obedience from her, but she never dreamed he would demand such an absolute surrender of her future life. She didn't know what her will, if she had any, was in this instance. If her unknown cousin were handsomer than his portrait suggested it might not be so bad to leave school and become a bride. All girls wanted to get married some time, she knew, but all girls of her acquaintance expected to do a great deal of flirting first, fall in love—whatever that might be—and make a choice among any number of beaux. Why should she be treated unlike other girls? For the first time in her life she felt like rebelling against her father's edict.

"I shall not be here to receive him," said her father, rising from the table. "Business of an unexpected nature calls me away today. I will not be home till night. At any rate I would be in the way. You two ought to be able to have it all fixed when I get home."

Annie said nothing, but looked unutterable things.

As Colonel Taylor was leaving the house he stopped to kiss Annie goodby and then said:

"By the bye, a fellow will probably call here today to see me on business—a baseball player. Just tell him to call again. Better not let him in the house. They are not all honest and—well, you don't want to come in contact with one of them."

"What is this baseball player's name."

"I don't know. A friend of mine is sending him—wrote that the young man would call and see me today about an engagement for next summer. Great pitcher and all that. I'll attend to him some other time. No hurry."

After her father had gone Annie went into the library and stood for ten minutes before the portrait of William Burnett, studying the counterfeit presentment of the man who had been chosen to be her husband.

"So that is the man. I don't like him. I never can like him, I know. What shall I do? I never disobeyed papa or crossed one of his plans in my life. But this is too serious, and I suppose the time has come for me to rebel."

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A very handsome young man two hours later stopped in front of the Taylor residence, looked up at the door for a moment, compared the number thereon with the address of an open letter in his hand, and then soliloquized:

"This is the place. Shall I back out yet? What will mother say if she hears that I play ball for money? It is that, however, or I must leave college. Why should I hesitate? Four months a professional next summer will give me money enough to complete my course. It is no disgrace. I am poor. Baseball playing is the only temporary summer occupation which will carry me through college. Mr. Carter has been my mother's best friend since father died, and he advises it. He sent me here. Pshaw! Why should I indulge a false pride? If this Colonel Taylor will engage me for four months I'll sign. Here goes."

He ascended the steps and rang the bell. To the servant who came to the door he gave his card and asked to see Colonel Taylor.

He was ushered into a reception room and requested to be seated. Then the servant disappeared.

A rustling of skirts soon after attracted his attention. In the doorway was a vision he never forgot. No girl ever took his breath away with her first presence until Annie Taylor stood before him that New Year's day. Her appearance was as unexpected as it was entrancing. To him she was the most beautiful creature ever born with a soul.

The two stared at each other a full half minute. It was soul meeting soul—a collision of affinities.

William Burnett, the collegian, was "over his head" in love at one plunge. Annie Taylor, the schoolgirl, with her head full of enforced marriage, saw before her a man who her heart told her was her destiny. Would she marry the original of that library portrait while such young men as this were free to seek her hand? Never! Never! Never! Oh, wasn't he handsome? And to compare him with the other!

Then she looked at the card in her hand again—actually took her eyes off her visitor long enough to examine the card. The name was William Burnett. That was the name of her cousin whose portrait—but who was this young Apollo?

Her Apollo broke the spell.

"I see you have my card, miss. I sent it to Colonel Taylor. Is he not at home?"

"Your card? This is William Burnett's card," she said, turning it over in her hand.

"I am William Burnett."

A great light leaped into her face. She advanced until she stood before him, devouring him with those great blue eyes.

"You—William Burnett? Indeed, are you he?"

"Indeed I am—and your most humble admirer," ventured Burnett, bowing low to hide the blush his bold words forced to his face.

"Oh, how nice!" gushed the young lady.

"You are not at all what I expected you would be."

"Indeed!" was all the collegian could gasp. Then he wondered if he was dreaming after all, and this picture in blue was only a vision of sleep.

"Oh, I'll like you. Papa didn't make a mistake after all. I haven't a word to say against the engagement, now I've met you."

"But—I'm not yet engaged. He"—stammered Burnett.

"Oh, yes you are," she interrupted, with unsuppressed enthusiasm. "He told me all about the preliminaries which were arranged by correspondence."

"With Mr. Carter, I presume?"

"I really don't know. But I shall be so happy with you. Why, you don't look one bit like your picture."

Burnett's confusion grew, partly because the bundle of human loveliness had edged within reaching distance, so that the atmosphere of her enchanting presence was becoming intoxicating, and partly because he remembered a horrible newspaper picture of himself, published the previous summer after one of his great pitching feats for the college nine. That "cut" had been a sore spot in his life, and was the source of much chaffing by his friends. Of course he thought his lovely tete-a-tete referred to that newspaper portrait, and he hastily replied:

"Well, I hope not. That picture made me look like a guy."

"That is what I thought, and I hated it. I made up my mind I'd hate you, too, but I don't."

"Then you like me?" he ventured, growing bolder by infection.

"Oh, so much—more, a million times, than I thought I should.

"But I may not suit your father."

"Oh, yes, you will. He wouldn't have any one else. Why, it was all arranged when you were ten years old."

"She's crazy as a loon, and yet beautiful as an angel," he thought. Still he must humor her.

"Maybe we will not agree upon terms," he added.

"Terms?"

"Why, yes? He can't expect me to enter into an engagement without recompense."

"Recompense?" she gasped.

"To be sure. I am a poor man and"——

"I care not if you are penniless. But papa said you were rich."

"He is mistaken."

"That makes no difference. I love you all the more. But you do not love me as you should or"——

"Love you," he fairly shouted. "I do! I do! I swear it. I love you better than my life."

"Then kiss me."

He forgot it was a lunatic who confronted him, and issued that maddening challenge with words and defiant, upturned face. In a moment she was clasped in his arms, and their souls met upon their lips in love's first embrace.

Crazy she undoubtedly was, but harmless as a babe and with method in her madness which was wholly irresistible. At that moment he was willing to join her for life in any asylum to which she might be assigned.

In short, the young collegian was a helpless victim of the sweetest and most unexpected, overwhelming influence which ever assailed mortal man. He was in that reckless state of mind and soul which made him ready to do any act of madness in which she would lead. Therefore he did not recoil when she took advantage of a lull in the kissing and squeezing to hold her head away long enough to say:

"And, now, suppose we surprise papa when he comes home? Let's go right off and get married. Will you?"

Would he? There was another "tackle" more becoming to a member of a football team than to a baseball pitcher.

"Surprise papa? he thought as he accompanied her hastily down the street. "Papa will be paralyzed from astonishment."

What troubled him most was a fear that marriage with a lunatic would not hold in law, and maybe, after all, they could take her from him and lock her up in a "private retreat."

"So you are William Burnett?" beamed the minister to whose residence Annie conducted the astonished man. "Yes, all right, I know, because Colonel Taylor told me yesterday Miss Annie was to marry you, and my services would be required soon to make you two man and wife."

Burnett's astonishment increased until he thought his brain would burst before his heart gave way to the strain.

Was the minister also crazy, or was he merely gratifying a whim of one he knew was daft, and whom it might be dangerous to deny anything?

The ceremony was performed. The minister pronounced them man and wife, and in a maze of sweet delirium Burnett accompanied his new made wife back to her parental home.

The servant who admitted them said:

"A gentleman is in the parlor, Miss Annie, to see you."

"Who is it, Jane?" inquired Annie with a show of some annoyance. "I will not see any one else today."

"He says he has an appointment with your father."

"Oh, it must be that baseball fellow. Why did you let him in? Send him away at once, Jane. I want nothing to do with that class of people."

Burnett's heart came into his mouth. Why this sudden aversion to baseball players? Was it a new turn in her madness? Was he about to be thrust over the walls of paradise? While he stood in a whirl of new wonderment the man in the parlor came out into the hall. Annie grasped convulsively at her husband's arm the moment she saw the stranger. The latter advanced with outstretched hand, and smilingly said:

"Don't you know me, Annie?"

She feared she did. It was the portrait in her father's library personified.

"Who are you?" she managed to gasp.

"Who am I? Why, your cousin, William Burnett. Am I welcome?"

She turned her frightened face upon the man at her side, whose perturbation was almost as great as her own.

"Then—who are you?"

"I also am William Burnett, but no relative of yours, save what the ceremony just now made me. I called to see your father about a baseball engagement, and I begin to fear there has been some mis"

He didn't finish the expression of his fear.

Annie fainted, and he had just time to save her from a hard fall upon the tesselated floor.

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The events which followed during the next few days and weeks as the sequel to the strange adventure of one of the William Burnetts cannot be related herein. They would fill several volumes instead of several columns, and this is a sketch—not a serial. The sayings and doings of Colonel Taylor when he arrived home and learned what had occurred in his absence would, if properly set forth, furnish enough "copy" to be "continued in our next" until some time in March.

He wanted the life of the man who had deceivingly become his son-in-law; but Burnett was in the hands of his friends, and his friends knew Colonel Taylor as well as they loved William. As a consequence Taylor's vengeance could not reach the victim of circumstances.

Meanwhile Annie recovered from the shock which fell upon her at the discovery of her mistake. After that came the assurance in her heart that the mistake was "just lovely" after all. When her father first proposed application for divorce on the grounds of fraud, Annie pleaded for time. Finally she refused to go into the divorce courts, and in time made confession that she loved the man she had married and would stand by him.

The colonel stormed enough in those few months to lash an ocean into fury. But after every storm comes a peaceful calm. Burnett's friend and the friend of Colonel Taylor—Mr. Carter—acted as mediator. He had valuable aid from Cousin Burnett, who proved himself to be an unselfish man, and succeeded thus in winning a regard from Annie he never could have won as her enforced husband.

The final peace between Colonel Taylor and his son-in-law was made the following June, when the latter volunteered in a crisis to pitch for the Charlestown Grays and won for them by his fine work in the box a decisive game. Colonel Taylor's enthusiasm carried him across the gulf—the Niagara as it were—and the collegian's life was safe, as well as his future happiness assured.

Annie did go back to school after all, beginning with the following scholastic year, and Burnett somehow found means to continue at college until he graduated. Then there was another wedding—altogether unnecessary in the eyes of the law, but celebrated to please Colonel Taylor, who declared that no child of his (as if he had a dozen) could ever marry without his consent. He had sworn Annie should marry William Burnett; and he had kept his oath.

The happy groom never ceases to bless the father who gave him his family name, "For," says he on an average of once a day, "if my name had not been William Burnett I should never have married."

The aphorism is not a very clear one, but he has only to look at Annie and believe in it with all his soul. O. P. CAYLOR.

NOTHING NEW.

We maid Ethel, four times one,
Listened to the timeworn story
Of the Old Year, nearly done,
Of the New Year's coming glory.
And she wondered much and more,
Hearing all the changes ringing,
What new beauties in his store
The young monarch could be bringing.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1892.

When you pay your subscription watch for the change of date on the address on your paper. If it is not advanced a year in four weeks from time of payment, please notify this office.

A Happy New Year.

Weymouth ranks 313th in the cities and towns of the United States in population, Quincy ranks 198th.

Sunday will be New Year's day. There will be fifty-three Sundays in 1893, the first and last days of the year falling on Sunday.

The year 1892 has been remarkable in at least two respects. Very few years in all the world's history have been marked by such a general peace, though war was threatened in many places, and yet there have been several stupendous political revolutions, chief among them those in Great Britain and the United States. Death has been busy among the great. Tennyson and Whittier—poet laureate of the British empire, and the poet of freedom—have passed to the bosom of Divinity. Death has twice visited the White House.

In the annals of labor and general business the year was certainly one without precedent. There were more destructive riots in 1877, and there have been years of greater abundance, but it is claimed by experts that in 1892, for the first time in America, there was at least average prosperity contemporary with great industrial disturbances. The bloody conflicts at Homestead, Pa., and in east Tennessee, in Idaho and Wyoming, and the comparatively bloodless labor riots elsewhere, will certainly make the year a notable one in economic history.

Though there has been no war there have been many disasters, and in the first half of the year the losses by fire, flood and windstorms in the United States were many. Four great tornadoes killed nearly 200 people, and four great mining disasters destroyed as many more. It is estimated that about 6,000 lives were lost in the United States by great accidents—among them 82 by the fall of a bridge on the Licking river, 196 by fire and flood on Oil creek, Pennsylvania, and many in minor disasters. Great accidents by flood, fire and explosion, great riots among laborers and tremendous political revolutions—these will certainly make 1892 memorable in history.

Capt. "Jack" Adams.

The reelection of Capt. Adams as sergeant-at-arms at the State House seems now a foregone conclusion, and what little opposition there is, is confined almost wholly to a few democratic papers, which from party policy, are always eager to oppose any candidate or measure belonging to the opposite party.

In the case of Capt. Adams we see no reason for a change. He is popular with both parties and has a war record of which any man might be proud. He has also proved himself to be thoroughly fit and competent for the position; and up to the present time even his opponents have failed to bring any charges against him, or given any reasons for substituting another man in his place.

Legislature Convenes Wednesday.

Eyes are being turned to the gilded dome on Beacon Hill, in Boston, and thoughts are being focussed upon the convening of the legislature and the several forms and ceremonies connected therewith.

Next week, his excellency, William E. Russell will, for the third time, be installed as governor and the other state officers will glide quietly into the places to which they have been elected, without noise or friction.

The Senate will convene and it is presumed that once more Mr. Pinkerton will be called to the presidential chair and the minor offices will be filled according to a cut-and-dried plan with little or no opposition.

The starting of the other branch of the legislature, will probably be a matter of a more difficult nature. For the first position, that of speaker, two B's are in the field and the contest will be between Barrett and Bennett with the chances decidedly in favor of the former. Another interesting contest will be that for the position of sergeant-at-arms. It is seldom that so much interest centres about this office, but next week there will be a three, or more probably a four-cornered fight for it. The present incumbent, Capt. "Jack" Adams will remain if a sufficient number of the members shall so indicate by their votes. The next candidate in the field is J. J. Mahoney of East Weymouth who is backed by an organization of members-elect, who are working in his interest and are sanguine of showing a good vote. The third factor in the contest is J. C. Chapel of Boston, a man popular with the boys and of a sanguine temperament. The fourth factor is not wholly a dark horse and is said to be well groomed for the race. Papers in the western part of the state, say, "We must have him." He is a graduate of Amherst, a gentleman and a scholar, a soldier in every inch, and has faced more leaden hail than any other man mentioned in connection with the position.

There was a rumor that Weymouth's favorite for chaplain, the Rev. D. W. Waldron, might be retired, but it was only an attempt to attach Mr. Hall to the Bennett kite, but as that gentleman refuses to be attached, it is probable that Mr. Waldron will again be the unanimous choice of the legislature for chaplain.

Christmas at the First Universalist Church.

The Christmas-tree festival was given Tuesday evening. A Christmas Colloquy entitled, "The Minstrel's Carol" was given and there were recitations by the children The tree bore many presents, and fruit, pop-corn and candy were generously distributed to all

Sunday Rev. Mr. Eaton preached a Christmas sermon and there was special music by the choir. The Sunday-school session was rendered appropriate to the Christmas season, the regular lesson being suspended.

Christmas at the First Baptist Church.

The Christmas tree was held Friday evening with literary and musical entertainment. The attendance was very large. Presents were given everybody connected with the Sunday-school and pop-corn and candy were in abundance.

Sunday services with appropriate music were held and a Christmas concert was given in the evening.

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medical tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Consumption, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c, per bottle. Sold by A. M. Bachelder.

ECCE ORIENTI.

(The Meditations of a Convent Shepherd of Andalusia, Spain, A. D. 1490.)

Here where the flocks lie down at noon,
I shut my eyes, and think it all once were.

Now that the folding's done and silver bells are still,
I hear the myriad whispers of the night,
The flashing of the pebbly brook that flows
From spiced gardens sloping toward the sun,
And hath the trees the far-off talk of lovers,
Mingling their honeyed secrets of the heart
Beneath the tender seasons of the moon.

How soon the story that the Padre told
Mingles with life.—I hear a song of birth.
The stars are throbbing with a lofty rhythm
Until earth catches up an echo-song
And hearts of men are quickened into music.

And now the Man, who is himself a Song,
Goes forth to make the whole world glad,
And sing himself into the deal world's heart;
He is the Father, broken-hearted, wistful,
Standing in silence at the open doorway
And longing for his prodigal's return;
He is the Mother, unutterable in love,
Gathering her children to her aching heart,
And giving rest and honey, milk and wine;
He is the Shepherd, for flocks all shepherdless,
And seeking on the mountain for the lost one;
He is the King of masters and dominions—
Royal, yet not a place to lay his head,
Royal, yet deep disdained by kings,
But royal yet in nobleness of thought,
Divinity of purpose, depth of love;
Royal, and therefore he could stoop,
Royal, and therefore wash his followers feet,
Royal, and therefore all the shame and cross;
For this is kingliest kinghood—
No accident of regal birth—
But a divinest splendor of the heart
That shines upon the forehead as a crown.

O strange and wondrous Man!
I walk with thee amid a stranger land,
And no man speaks my native tongue
And all wear unfamiliar garments,
And all seem moving in an urgent haste
And whispering as they look on thee.

For thou art Man like none thou standest among;
A strange fire burns upon thy face,
And that quick eye flashes from tenderest pity
To sternest judgment and back again to pity.
The sweet voice, on times so mild,
Full of the hidden mysteries of music,
Anon is throbbing with its close-chained thunder.

O Man of strangest ways!
Courting the loneliness of secret mountains,
When the cold stars glitter upon the dew,
And breathing out the witcheries of night
In eloquent agony of speechless prayer,
While no man sees, but thronging angels,—
And the low winds from paradise are fragrant.

And now a silent unresisting man,
Held in the world's imperious grip,
A great grim cross on stony ground,
And driven nails in hands and feet,
A crown of thorns crushed into bleeding temples,
A spear thrust in the aching, quivering side, . . .
A cry, "Tis finished!" . . .

Quick! we are lost in unknown worlds!
Darkness at mid-day!
The rocks are throbbing!
Innumerable eyes peer through the gloom
And unseen hosts of travelers haste them toward the cross!
A universal cry of orphanage!
A rising of the sheeted dead! . . .
I see and hear no more.

Wait, wait, be quiet for a space and wait,
A day or two be quiet.

See, see, the light is dawning!
The blooming sky drops roses or the earth. . . .
And yonder on a mountain stands the Man,
The risen Man, robbed in all his power,
And speaking now his latest word of love,
The lofty music of all human life.

Were they not wondrous—all those triple years,—
And all their sweetness and stern mysteries!
And as I see them through the misty times
The sun grows brighter, burns the mists away,
And in the silences I hear a voice that asks,
What seest thou? and my heart answers, This I see.

I see a Sower going forth to sow
And scattering grain upon the mountain-top,
I see the blade, the ear, the full corn in the ear,
Field after field of golden grain,
The hillsides laughing in their wealth of corn,
The valleys singing in their harvest time,
The reapers going forth to reap.

I see a Shepherd going forth to seek
The sheep, astray in mountain wilds,
I watch him thread his way among the stones,
And climb the rocks and wade the rushing streams,
And clearv a way through tangled crush of thorns,
I see his brightening eye and flushing face,
What time he finds the long lost shivering lamb,
And on his loving shoulder bears it home.

I see a Father, full of tenderness,
Stand in the door of the ancestral home,
His face is stained and wrinkled with its tears,
His eyes are aching with a daily longing,
His hair is dirtied with the snows of sorrow,
He sey afar his long-lost boy returning,
He runs, and sobbing, kissing, welcomes home
His boy, who, dead and lost, lives and is found.

I see the shining of a glorious light
And men are beating blood-stained swords to plow shares.
I hear a mighty shout through all the earth,
Rising in towering joy of regal strength,
Outswelling the mean eloquence of thunder:
"The kingdoms of this world are now become
The kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ!"

And lo! the Man despised and rejected
Is now the light and joy of all creation
The travail of His soul is seen at last.
And He is satisfied. . . .

The night is cold—the stars are cold—about me,
Here in the quiet as I meditate.
But all my heart is mingled fire and flame,
And love burns incense to the nameless Name.

OLIVER HUCKEL.

Weymouth, Mass.

Obituary—Mrs. A. B. W. Randall.

In the death of Mrs. A. B. W. Randall, who passed away early Monday morning, after a brief illness, East Weymouth loses another of its aged and highly respected citizens.

Mrs. Randall was a daughter of Asa and Abby Barker Walker of Marshfield and was born in that historic town July 23d, 1807 and had consequently entered upon the 86th year of her life.

Her childhood was spent in the town that gave her birth and in 1828 when 21 years of age she was united in marriage to Dean Randall of East Weymouth.

Twenty-four years of wedded life was spent with the husband of her choice and in Dec. 1852, he was striken with a malady which terminated fatally after a sickness of but four days.

The deceased has spent forty years of widowhood in the house which she and her husband had established and in the enjoyment of a competency which they had secured by habits of frugality and industry.

Being of a cheerful and social disposition the visitor to her home always received a cordial welcome and was agreeably entertained.

Four children survive her, D. D. and A. J. Randall of East Weymouth; Otis H. Randall, Brockton and Mrs. J. F. Welch of Hingham.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in the Congregational church of which the deceased has been a constant attendant and liberal patron since it was established.

The order of service was, singing, by quartette composed of Mrs. W. H. Berry, Mrs. R. T. Raymond, T. H. Emerson and M. P. Garey; reading of Scripture and address, Rev. D. W. Waldron; prayer, Rev. Daniel Evans; singing, "Abide with Me." The floral tributes were a harp and pillow from children of the deceased, pedestal and crescent from grandchildren, bouquet from Mrs. J. A. Fogg, and tribute of ripened grain from John P. Lovell.

The remains were placed in the village cemetery by the following bearers: Henry Loud, Z. L. Bicknell, N. H. Goodspeed and Charles Simmons.

Veteran Pilot Dead.

The Boston Journal reports another of the veteran Boston pilots dead. William Burrows passed away Sunday, Dec. 25, aged 76. William Burrows, George Forrester, William Jones and B. J. Loring came to Weymouth sixty-five years ago and were bound apprentices during their minority to the late Elias Richards, Nathaniel Richards, Capt Timothy Nash and Deacon Zachri Nash to learn the trade of boot and shoe making. Soon after learning their trades, Mr. Forrester sought employment as sailor and his whereabouts are at present unknown to the writer. Mr. Jones for many years worked at his trade in Weymouth and Hingham; at the time of the Rebellion he enlisted in the army and served during the war; he was for many years captain of the Torrent engine company. He died at the latter place six or eight years ago. Mr. Burrows after leaving Weymouth became a citizen of of Boston and was employed on one of the pilot boats. Being a very active man, he soon worked his way up and secured full papers as one of Boston's best branch pilots. Mr. Loring is now and has for the last 40 years been a most respected resident of East Braintree. The following incident is remembered by many old residents of this vicinity:

Before Mr. Burrows had secured full papers as a pilot he was put aboard one of the largest ships one very stormy night, to bring her into port. The Captain asked him if he had full papers, fearing to trust his vessel and the very valuable cargo to a pilot who had only half papers. Mr. Burrows said, "No, I have only half papers, but if I can ever take your ship into Boston I can tonight." The ship was brought safely into port and the next day Mr. Burrows received his full papers as a recognition of his courage and judgment.

Send in Your Bills.

The selectmen of Weymouth request every person having a bill against the town to present the same before January 1st.

The school committee makes the same request and in all departments of the town bills should be rendered by Saturday, Dec. 31st.

Tufts Library.

The library will be closed on Monday, Jan. 2d for the purpose of examining the books. On Tuesday, Jan. 3rd the new bulletin will be ready for sale. This bulletin contains the titles of nearly one hundred books purchased recently in addition to those already printed in the Gazette.

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WEDDED IN CHURCH.

Dow—Dow. Albert W. of Chicago, and Lillian E., of Weymouth.

The Old North church at Weymouth Heights was the scene of a most brilliant wedding ceremony on Tuesday evening, the occasion being the joining in marriage of the above parties.

Miss Hattie Long Dow, sister of the bride was maid of honor and Mr. Arthur M. Dow, the brother, was best man.

With Mr. A. M. Raymond at the organ, the bridal train entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin's Bridal March. The bride was given away by Mr. Howard M. Dow, her father, who left a bed of sickness where he had been confined, for that purpose.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. A. Horton and was a most beautiful and impressive ceremony. Misses Mae Shepard, Maud Allen, Sadie Linscott, Abbie Bates, Evangeline Norton and Annie Thompson were bridesmaids and Messrs. Gutterson, Hayward, Pratt, Moffett, Thompson and Lane were ushers.

A quartette, composed of Miss Minnie S. Coffin, Mrs. Fannie Preston, Mr. Thomas Norris and Henry Webb rendered most excellent music.

The church was most elaborately trimmed with evergreen and holly.

Mendelssohn's Wedding March closed the services in the church and the reception which was held at the house was a most brilliant affair. Chrysanthemums, holly and tropical plants abounded. The newly-wedded pair were the recipients of a most extensive line of presents.

A fine banquet was served by Caterer Simmons, of Boston.

At the close of the reception the bridal party took carriages for Boston and will make their future home in Chicago.

The arrangements for the services were in the immediate charge of John H. Gutterson to whom much credit is due for the care of guests and visitors and for the harmony of the occasion.

Ordination of Rev. Allan B. Hudson.

The Rev. Allan B. Hudson was ordained pastor of the Pilgrim church, in North Weymouth, Mass., on Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1892. The Ecclesiastical Council convened at 3.30 p. m., and the examination was held during the afternoon. About a dozen churches of neighboring towns were represented.

A technical point arose for discussion owing to the neglect of the church to make a record of a meeting expressing the desire that the ordination be held. This minor matter was at length settled and the business for the afternoon was concluded at 5.30 p. m.

The impressive and interesting exercises held in the evening were witnessed by a well filled church. The programme was as follows:

Organ prelude,	The Triumphal March
Motet,	Pilgrim Church Choir
Reading of Scriptures and Prayer	
"How Beautiful upon the Mountains,"	Pilgrim Church Quartette
Sermon	Prof. Luther T. Townsend
Ordination prayer,	Rev. Louis B. Vorhees
Response,	Pilgrim Church Quartette
Charge to Pastor,	Rev. Albert Plumb, D.D.
Right Hand of Fellowship,	Rev. Alfred Ellsworth
Prayer,	Rev. Oliver Huckel
Motet,	Pilgrim Church Choir
Benediction,	Rev. Allan B. Hudson
Organ postlude,	Robert F. Raymond

R. F. Raymond presided at the organ, and the choir rendered excellent music under the direction of C. H. Newton.

The quartette was composed of Miss Georgia Shaw, Mrs. Edwin Walker, A. J. Sidelinger and C. H. Newton.

The records of the afternoon meeting were read by Rev. Mr. Wheelock of Hingham who stated that the candidate had passed the examination satisfactorily to the council.

The ordination sermon was preached by Prof. Luther T. Townsend of Boston University. His text was taken from Romans viii, 19 and I Cor. iii, 22 23. This discourse was intepsely interesting and teemed with astronomical facts and knowledge. It taught that though man with respect to size is so insignificant compared with some other creations of God, the whole physical universe is subject to man. That manhood is first of all of the utmost importance. That it is the desire of the Creator to awaken feelings of love and of worship for himself in the minds of his people, and that for this reason he has placed in the firmament these wonderful heavenly bodies.

The Charge to Pastor, by Rev. Albert Plumb, D. D., outlined the duties to be expected of a pastor.

Sunset Party at South Weymouth.

The most successful party ever given by the Hawthorn club, was the Sunset party given in Odd-fellows hall last Monday afternoon and evening. These parties have become very popular among the young people, not only in this town, but they attract the people from surrounding towns. Parties were present from Whitman, Abington, North Abington, Rockland and East Weymouth. Music was furnished by Cushing's orchestra of South Weymouth. Dancing from 4 to 8 but there were so many who wanted to stay that it was kept up until 11 o'clock. The following is a partial list of those who were present.

E. H. Belcher	C. F. Vinson
Hattie Hatch	Josie Kimball
E. C. Hollis	E. Ford
Miss Mansfield	Eva Arnold
E. W. Thayer	K. Thomas
Lena Stoddard	Bertha Baker
E. Sargent	L. Laton
Lina Poole	Bertha Walker
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brennen	Nettie Cushing
	W. Brennen
I. Greenwood	Jennie Cushing
Ruth Cushing	C. Tirrell
H. F. Raymond	Minnie Bates
Susie Vinson	W. D. Pratt
H. L. Sears	W. F. Smith
Helen Wales	Lena Thayer
H. F. Ivy	C. P. Tucker
Helen Bass	Eva Betty
H. Edson	Perry Merritt
Miss Danon	Maud Dill
J. P. Skehan	Harry Kidder
Abbie Cushing	Clara Groce
Gen. Cushman	Percy Belcher
Lottie Baker	Fannie Houston
Leon Crooker	Sadie Houston
Emily Poole	Alvin Reed
James Arnold	Mr. and Mrs. D. Bills
Jennie Partly	Mr. and Mrs. F. Doble
Ed. Arnold	Mr. and Mrs E. Simmons
Mabel Studley	Mr. and Mrs. H. Lovell
Robert Bacon	Bert Derby
Gertie Everson	Carrie Derby
James Hayes	Lillie Tirrell
Miss Gardner	C. F. Burrell
M. Powers	F. H. Williams
Louis Bonney	Fannie Groce
F. M. Clark	Daisy Dyer
Edith Bates	N. Hopkins
M. Louise Bates	A. Spear
Harry Beaham	L. Cushing
Harry Barry	Louise Laton
Lizzie Jones	Hattie Thayer
Alice Laton	Rose Thayer
F. Upton	Ella Hutchinson
F. Abbott	Cora Chandler
E. Damon	Grace Cain
J. Cushing	Arthur White

The floor was managed by B. L. Loud assisted by H. C. Poole and S. L. Holbrook.

Notice.

The Selectmen's meeting of next Monday will be held at the Almshouse instead of the Townhouse. Time as usual, 2 o'clock to 5.

—A new Universalist parish has been formed at Hyde park and will be known as the Hazlewood Universalist parish.

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Christmas Service at Union Church.

There were very excellent musical programmes for both morning and evening of Christmas Sunday at Union church. Miss Daisy S. Monroe of Boston, an accomplished cornetist, gave an additional attraction to the programme. She rendered Gounod's Nazareth at the morning service and Schubert's Ave Maria in the evening, in addition to the cornet obligato for Howard M. Dow's charming Christmas song. Rev. Mr. Huckel's sermon was on "The Good Tidings of Christmas."

The evening service was the special Christmas Vespers and was a very rich and beautiful service. Selections from classical composers, Handel, Shelley, Dudley Buck, Barnby and others, were sung in solo, carol and motet. The pastor gave three readings at different parts of the service, three carols of Phillips Brooks to organ accompaniment, two Christmas stories by Stoddard, and a poem, Christmas bell, accompanied by the soft ringing of the church bell.

The Christmas decorations were appropriate and artistic. They were mostly a liberal arrangement of pine branches and holly.

The Christmas-tree for the Sunday-school children was held on Monday afternoon and was a jolly, old-fashioned occasion. Starting slightly late ones with a large company of parents and friends were present. There were ten or more recitations and carols by the children, two Christmas stories by the pastor, and at a signal doors were thrown open and the great tree ablaze with candles and heavy with presents was seen. Candy, oranges and Christmas booklets were given to all the children.

Obituary.

It is with feelings of sadness that we record the death of John F. youngest son of the late John D. and Mary Magill Moran of Weymouth who died in Whitman early Thursday morning aged 17 years 6 months 18 days. Although in ill health for some few months his death was sudden and unexpected, the immediate cause being congestion.

The deceased was a young man of exemplary habits and was loved by all who knew him and who mourn his early death.

The body was removed to East Weymouth where funeral services were held in Immaculate Conception church Saturday, Rev. Father Begley officiating.

Among the floral tributes was a beautiful crescent and sickle the gift of friends in the establishment at Whitman where Mr. Moran was employed.

To the sister and brothers who are again called upon to mourn the loss of their brother and upon whom this second bereavement falls so heavily we extend our heartfelt sympathy and bid them turn their thoughts from these earthly troubles to where they shall be no more partings and where sorrow shall be no more.

N. D.

Christmas at Trinity Church.

Christmas was observed with a joyous spirit at Trinity church. On Christmas Eve the Sunday-school and others assembled in the church for the children's festival. The chancel, pulpit, lecture and prayer desks were decorated with evergreen; on the font was a large white cross decorated with holly and evergreen, and directly in front of the chancel was a large tree loaded with gifts of every description making a most brilliant display with the many bright and different colors.

R. F. Raymond was unable to hold all the presents to advantage and they were also piled up under the tree thus showing that there was no lack in the provision which had been made for all.

After a very pleasing service in which many beautiful carols were sung and the children gave recitations concerning Christmas, the gifts were distributed, being taken from the tree by Messrs C. A. Chesley, H. C. Bicknell and H. B. Burke, and carried around the church by two little girls, to those who stood up as their names were called. After the gifts were all taken from the tree, bags of candy were given to those present and the congregation departed, well pleased with the festivities.

On Christmas day service was held both morning and evening with special music. The rector preached in accordance with the spirit of the day.

BOSTON THEATRES.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—For the opening attraction of 1893, a better or more pleasing dramatic offering could not be presented than the one secured. It is "The Burglar," from the pen of the famous playwright, Mr. Agustus Thomas, and it has been one of the most successful stage attractions for the past two seasons. The public will easily recall Editha's Burglar," which was presented in Boston as a comedy sketch, but now it has been re-written and divided into acts, making it a melodramatic play replete with striking situations, masterly climaxes, and realistic in all its episodes. "The Burglar" will be superbly staged and presented by a company made up of artists every one. Following "The Burglar" the attraction at this theatre will be that popular play, "Ole Olsson."

PARK THEATRE.—Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" keen in its satire, and effective in its bits of pathos, opened the fourth week of its engagement at the Park theatre, on Monday with two holiday audiences that filled the house to the very brim. The funny scenes and pathetic incidents are being enjoyed with great enthusiasm every night; and even the event of Christmas-tide, preceding which matters are dull at the theaters, has not sufficed to dim the long and strong line of success which has been drawn by Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" since its run was inaugurated at the Park. Both houses, matinee and evening, on Monday, were the largest in the history of the Park theatre.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE.—That spectacular, patriotic drama, The White Squadron, will be the New Year's attraction at the Bowdoin Square. The play was seen here a few weeks since and captivated Boston by reason of its great novelty and elaborate staging. The story hinges upon a visit to Rio Janeiro of armed ships from various governments to investigate the doings of bandits in the mountains surrounding Brazil's chief city. Many and varied are the points of interest in the play and the stage is continuously filled with exciting episodes or brilliant stage pictures. The Grand Plaza at Rio, a pillaged monastery in the interior of South America and the harbor are among the principal scenic successes.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.—The second production by those great playwrights, Palmer stock company, will be Augustus Thomas' Alabama. After having enthused thousands all over the continent of America the play at length finds its way to Boston and will hold the boards at the Columbia theatre next week. The leading charm of Alabama is its accurate portraiture of certain phases of southern life. Its scene is in the state from which it takes its title, and its characters are simple, upright folk, who never forget a kindness and rarely forgive a wrong, whether fancied or real. Alabama is beautifully staged all of its scenes taking place out of doors. The third act, moonlight by a ruined gateway, is exquisite, the picturesque ruins, the cypress, the moonlight, the scent of the magnolia and the calm southern night sky producing an irresistibly romantic romance.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—That highly successful, historical extravaganza, 1492, enters upon the concluding week of its engagement at the Hollis Street theatre next Monday night. The piece is to be credited with an enormously successful week and every indication points to a repetition during the coming eight performances. Manager Rice is constantly adding new features and taking specialties to the piece, and this when coupled with the exceedingly strong cast charged with its presentation, the elaborate and costly appointments and beautiful scenic effects, accounts for the remarkable success of Barnet & Pfleguer's latest effort. Beginning Monday week, that popular Boston boy, William H. Crane, comes to the Hollis for a short engagement in his new and successful play, The American Minister.

TREMONT THEATRE.—The Urania spectacles will return to the Tremont theatre for a number of exhibitions. "A Trip to the Moon" will be first shown, on Sunday evening, Jan. 1, 1893. The exhibitions will continue each following Sunday evening of January, and at three special matinees each week of that month.

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Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stip ulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon and Holy Communion at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12.15. Evening service with sermon at 7.30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor and Lord's supper at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; Missionary concert at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Braintree) Rev. M. W. Reece, pastor. Preaching Jan. 1, 1893 at 10.30 a. m. "New Year's sermon." 7 p. m. "Christ's Welcome to the people." Sunday-school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth.)—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday, "New Years." Communion at the close of morning service. Sunday-school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. Subject for next Sunday, "New Years." Communion at the close of service. Sunday-school at 1.15 p.m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.00 p.m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; evening service 6.30 p. m. Strangers, new comers, all who have no church are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all, a part for all. A welcome for all.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 5.00 and 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m. Vespers at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, UNIVERSALIST (South Weymouth)—Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Preaching service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Young People's meeting at 7. All are cordially welcome. tf

TEMPERANCE HALL, (East Weymouth)—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (North Weymouth).—Rev. Allan B. Hudson, pastor. Sunday services as follows: Sabbath school with pastor's Bible class at 10.30 a. m.; preaching by Rev. Daniel Evans at 2.30 p. m. Young People's service at 6 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. Mass at 5.30 and 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.; Vespers 7.45 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. J. H. McDonald, pastor. Special Christmas sermon and music at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12m.; communion service 2.30 p. m. Epworth League meeting 3.30; evening service, Sunday-school concert at 7.00 p. m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. E. E. Phillips, pastor. Sunday-school at 12.45 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m.; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Christmas sermon and special music at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11.45 a. m.; communion service at 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p. m.; Sunday-school concert at 7 p.m.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m. Preaching service, followed by Sunday-school; 2 p. m., Communion service. Unites with Union church in the week of prayer. Services Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings in Union vestry; Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings in Old South vestry.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. Oliver Huckel, pastor. Next Sunday will be observed as New Years Sunday with Union church. Service at 10.30 on "All Things New;" evening at 7.30, with address on "Turning Over a New Leaf;" communion service at 2.30 for all Christians. Sunday-school at noon. Christian Endeavor at 6.30. All welcome. Next week every evening the services of the week of prayer.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—At the conclusion of the very interesting Christmas exercises in the Franklin school last Friday, the principal of the schools, Edgar W. Farwell, was presented with a fine silver headed cane and other gifts.

—The republicans of Ward 2 will hold a caucus in Engine hall tomorrow night to elect a town committee for the ensuing year and to transact other important business.

—742 cases of boots and shoes were shipped from the several factories in East Weymouth for the week ending Saturday, the 24th.

—The Rev. W. S. Key gave his illustrated lecture on "Ireland" to a large audience a few nights since in Cohasset, and was requetted to repeat it at an early day. The lecture was given in this village last winter and byrequest will be repeated soon.

—Wessagussett colony No 111, U. O. S. F., which has always been progressive, has added to the attraction of membership in that order by organizing within its membership a sick benefit association with the following officers: D. Dunbar, president; F. E. Hersey, secretary; B. B. Sylvester, treasurer; N. W. Gardner, E. Fahey, J. Q. B. Goodspeed and J. W. Vining, directors.

—Dr. F. F. Darling moved into his new rooms, in Rice's block, last Saturday. These new rooms and pleasant furnishings make it almost a pleasure to be in the hands of a dentist.

—The number furnished by Stephen Cain, Jr. at the last rehearsal of the Choral society of Hingham, was "Introduction and Aria in A," by Laurens Maynard.

—At the regular meeting of Wompatuck encampment No. 18, I. O. O. F., held Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chief patriarch, C. D. Gibson; high priest, W. A. Newcomb; S. W., Fred H. Pratt; J. W., John H. Stevens; Scribe, W. T. Dizer; treasurer, E. Q. S. Litchfield. The above officers will be publicly installed by the grand patriarch of the state and suite on the evening of Jan. 9. A banquet will follow the installation. Members of the fraternity can procure tickets to the same for 60 cents by applying to the officers.

—Mechanics Hall association will hold its annual meeting this Friday night.

—The sale and entertainment of the Unitarian society in their church last Thursday and Friday evening was a success and quite encouraging to the management of the affair. Thursday night the Wandering Minstrels, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowing, Mr. A. L. Flint and Mr. M. Burness, assisted by the renowned Dan Haley, gave a unique entertainment which was well received. Friday night the operetta, "The Tables Turned," was given with the following cast: Stephen Pratt, Santa Clause; Fred Raymond, Jack Frost; Millie Gardner, in stocking; Flossie Raymond, Snowflake. The success of the operetta is complimentary to Miss Lucy Raymond its manager. Other exercises of the evening were duets by Miss Theresa and Master Ernest Key and Miss Bessie Bates and Master Joseph Sherman.

—The second entertainment in the Co-operative course under the auspices of the Junior Templars was the illustrated lecture of Rev. J. J. Lewis on Switzerland and was given in Odd Fellows' Opera house, Wednesday evening and was very satisfactory to the large audience assembled. The views embraced every phase of landscape and scenery of the most picturesque country in the world, and the story as told by Mr. Lewis was full of interest.

—A mission by the Paulist Fathers of New York will be opened in the church of the Immaculate Conception on New Years Day at 10.30 a. m.

—Mrs. Etta Bass has been quite sick at the home of her father, Daniel Lincoln, on High street.

—Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R. will have its installation of officers at G A. R. hall next Tuesday night, Jan. 3d. The installation will be public to all honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the war who are not members, and to invited guests.

—The two children of S. B. Totman have been quite sick this week but are improving.

—At the annual meeting of Pilgrim lodge No. 385, K. of H., held Tuesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: P. D., O. T. Pratt; D., E. T. Pratt; V. D., A. Belmar; A. D., A. J. Osgood; R., E. Q. S. Litchfield; F. R., M. Collyer; T., G. F. Farrar; Chaplain, J. Vinal; Guide, C. T. Blakeney; Guardian, F. E. Bumpus; Sentinel, J. E. Blackburn; Trustees, T. J. Evans, O. T. Pratt, D. D. Randall; Representative Grand Lodge, E. Q. S. Litchfield; Alternate, J. C. Stevens. Officers will be publicly installed Jan. 24, 1893, by Grand Guide, F. M. Hersey, assisted by the full board of Grand officers.

—Whitman's pond gathered in another victim about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Thomas Lynch, living on Lake street and employed at the Isinglass works of Howe, French & Co., left the mill for his home at half past four and subsequent events prove took a short cut across the pond. His non-arrival home was a source of anxiety through the night and search was begun for him Wednesday morning; his dinner pail, mittens and hat were found on the ice and on the next afternoon his body was taken up from near the spot by means of grappling irons and hooks. A sad feature of the whole matter is that his cries for help were heard by different parties on Middle and Lake streets and several persons who heard the cries went to the pond at different places and, getting no response to their calls, supposed it might have been some skaters who had been on the pond a little while before and consequently made no immediate effort to gain information in regard to the noise. Mr. Lynch leaves a widow and two children.

—In future when Col. B. S. Lovell travels he will take his night shirt and little personal effects in a traveling bag made to order and received as a Christmas gift from ex-Governor Long.

—The Christmas exercises as arranged for the Unitarian Sunday-school and society for last Sunday afternoon will be given next Sunday evening.

—The week of prayer will be observed by services in the M. E. and Congregational churches every evening excepting Saturday.

—The annual convention of the Norfolk County Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held yesterday in the M. E. church, was a series of meetings full of interest and we hope to give it the space it deserves next week.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion and the W. C. T. U. of Cohasset each presented Mrs. H. B. Raymond with a Christmas gift in appreciation of her services as leader of the L. T. L. of that place.

—Every republican in Ward 2 should bear in mind that the caucus for electing a Town committee and the transaction of other business is to be held at Engine hall tomorrow, Saturday night.

—The Ladies' cemetery circle will meet with Mrs. N. D. Canterbury next Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and there will be no postponement on account of the weather.

—One of the new signs which will be conspicuous at 38, Bromfield street, Boston, next week will be that of Canterbury & Driver, dealers in real estate, mortgages, and insurance agents. Mr. N. D. Canterbury, the head of this new house, is too well known to Weymouth people to need an introduction and no doubt has a large circle of friends and acquaintances who wish him well in the new enterprise.

—At the M. E. church, the day and evening were spent in appropriate exercises. Rev. J. H. McDonald gave a most excellent Christmas sermon from the text "He shall be called Wonderful." Special attention was paid to the music. A very successful Sunday-school concert was given in the evening. A solo by Miss Ada Tirrell given with unusual beauty and richness of tone was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

—G. H. Cunningham has been suffering from an attack of "la grippe."

—Mrs. Lydia A. Bates and Mrs. Hannah Bates and daughter have been visiting relatives in Brockton.

—Mr. Manuel Avelar is at a private hospital in Boston, having had a surgical operation performed.

—Miss Ruth Bates was presented with an elegant gold watch and chain by her father on Christmas.

—Among a party of boys on the pond Tuesday, were Roy and Lawrence Litchfield, the younger of the two being too small to skate was being dragged on a sled by his older brother, when the ice gave way plunging the little fellow and sled into the water. The older boy, in his efforts to save his little brother, lost his position on the ice and both would have found watery graves but for the timely arrival of assistance.

CHRISTMAS IN THE CHURCHES.

The day which was celebrated around the world was duly observed in all the churches at East Weymouth. At the Congregational church the decorations were in charge of the Golden Rule circle of King's Daughters. The morning exercises opened with an organ voluntary prepared for the occasion by the organist, R. F. Raymond, which was followed by the Doxology by the choir. Other musical selections were, J. H. Tenney's anthem, "Hark! What mean those holy voices," rendered by full choir; W. J. Baltzell's "Night Song," quartette, Mrs. T. H. Emerson, Mrs. R. F. Raymond, Mr. T. H. Emerson and M. P. Garey; 98th psalm "Joy to the World," choir; organ postlude, Hallelujah chorus. The sermon was by the pastor, Rev. Daniel Evans and began with the night the star shone on Bethlehem and gave a vivid portrayal of the life and light which have come from it. The evening service was a Sunday school concert and following is the programme: Prayer by the pastor; recitation, "Christmas Chimes," Anna B. Bates; exercises by primary department; recitations by Helen Lovell, Carrie Briggs, Ethel Gay, Evelyn Deubroeder, Ruth Hayden, Jessie Pratt, Lillian Keene, Bessie Randall, Helen Dunbar, George Cushing, Carlton Soule, Walter Ryerson, Carl Humphrey, Nellie Lively, Blanch Lively, Edith Sloan, Nellie Guy; reading by Dora Smith. A special feature of interest were solos by Eda May Raymond and Berta Raymond and singing by a quartette composed of Florence Bates, Berta Raymond, Lewis Canterbury and Benj. Blanchard.

Monday evening was a brilliant one at the M. E. church, it being the children's special service and Christmas tree. A good part of the evening was spent in taking the gifts from two trees which were beautifully decorated with ornaments and lighted candles. A short entertainment was given consisting of a piano duett by Misses Jennie Thayer and Jennie Rice, a reading by Miss Marion Cain and recitation by Miss Orilla Wade.

The services at the church of the Immaculate Conception, East Weymouth, were of high order, everything being conducted in a most successful manner. The music which formed the principal part of the day's programme, was especially fine. The choir, which has been thoroughly drilled during the two preceeding months by the organist, Miss DeWyer, rendered Mass in an excellent manner. Owing to the sickness of the leading soprano, the solos were rendered by Misses Moran and White, sopranos; Miss O'Connor, alto; Mr. Mahoney, tenor; Mr. Knox, bass. The "Adeste Fidelis" was sung at the Offertory by the quartette according to the Novello arrangement.

The decorations in the sanctuary were very fine and the effect was enhanced by the electric lights which were used for the first time. Father Begley delivered a very eloquent sermon taking for his text, "The Birth of our Savior."

Weymouth Centre.

—Mrs. Lydia A. Bates is visiting friends in Duxbury.

—The gunners at Slate Island had good sport last week; Edwin Clapp shot eight fine geese on Monday.

—The staid old sorrell horse, with a white face, which has been driven with perfect safety by some resident ladies of Middle street for a long time, renewed his youth recently while being driven on Broad street and with the spirit of a four year old struck a gait which would have shamed Nancy Hanks, in fact the gait was such that when the ladies arrived at their home they, like John Gilpin, flew past their destination and subsequently came to a halt on Charles street, where a man was drafted to handle the fiery steed, but his energy was spent and he had returned to his normal condition.

—The Christmas present to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Torrey was a little girl.

—The marriage of Mr. Alfred E. Joy and Miss Mabel Worthen of Charlestown, took place at the residence of Rev. Daniel Evans last Saturday morning, the latter gentleman performing the ceremony. The newly wedded pair took the Fall River line for New York Sunday night, where a short visit will be made and the future home of the couple will be with Mr. Noah T. Joy on Middle street.

—One hardly needs to go to the World's Fair at Chicago to see fine mechanism and artistic work. The new engine recently placed in the factory of Edwin Clapp, has just been decorated in the highest style of painter's art by E. Rowland. Looked at either as a work of art or mechanical ingenuity, it calls for the highest praise and it must be a pleasure to Peter Friary, the engineer in charge, to see it make its mighty revolutions as noiselessly as the sun rises.

—After a very brief illness at the residence of her son-in-law John F. Cushing, Mrs. Elizabeth B., widow of John Holbrook, passed away last Monday evening. Mrs. Holbrook was a daughter of John L. Pratt of East Weymouth and was born in June 1815 being 77 years and 6 months old at the time of her death. The deceased was married to Mr. Holbrook in 1835 and has survived him for several years. Mrs. Holbrook has two surviving children John A. Holbrook of North Weymouth and Mrs. J. F. Cushing, Middle street. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the place of her decease, Rev. Daniel Evans conducting the services in which he was assisted by a quartette composed of Mrs. W. H. Berry, Mrs. R. F. Raymond, T. H. Emerson, and M. P. Garey. The remains were interred at North Weymouth.

—Mr. Russell Walker who is engaged in business in New York city, spent Christmas with his family here.

—Mrs. Francis Cushing is quite ill.

—One of our oldest citizens who has almost arrived at the age of three score and ten, went skating on Monday and seemed to manifest as much skill in his movements as some of the younger boys.

Nash's Corner.

—F. E. Pennington of Watertown, Me., will preach again at the Liberty Square Mission chapel Sunday afternoon and evening.

—Nash's Corner's may well be proud of this place, for during Christmas week our stores were the best stocked with the finest display of Christmas goods ever seen in town.

—Monday evening the Loud family, which forms no small part of the population at Nash's Corner, had a grand Christmas festival with tree at the house of Mrs. Cady.

—Last Friday afternoon the Shaw school celebrated Christmas with appropriate exercises.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Weymouth Locals.

—Mr. Frederick Cate, who employs about 70 girls and women in his wrapper factory on Richmond street, was remembered by them on Monday morning with an easy chair and a waste paper basket. Miss Pope, the forewoman, was given a watch. Thus was Christmas made pleasant for employer and employes.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Atherton N. Hunt of Weymouth and Miss Sarah W. Lane of Braintree.

—An alarm was rung in at 5.30 o'clock Tuesday morning from Box 34 for a fire at the house owned and occupied by Lyman Williams on Richmond street. The fire which was evidently caused by a defective flue, was well under way when the firemen arrived, and only the efficient work of the fire department saved the building and its contents from total destruction. The thermometer at the time of the fire registered but 4 degrees above zero and the firemen, who worked like trojans, were soon covered with ice. The building was insured in the Hingham Mutual for $800 which will probably cover the loss and the furniture which was damaged $300 or $400 was insured in the Holyoke Mutual for $800. At about 6.45 o'clock, after the firemen had been at work at the fire for an hour, some individual who had evidently just discovered there was a fire, rung in an alarm from box 38 which caused the firemen much annoyance, as Engineer Bicknell was obliged to send a number of men to that box with a part of the apparatus which at that time was very much needed at the fire. Engineer Bicknell informs us that the fire was as hard a one to handle as he has ever had, it getting between the walls. That the fire was handled in a manner highly creditable to Engineer Bicknell is the unanimous opinion, as it certainly looked as though the building would be totally destroyed.

—Mr. Herbert Owen, formerly principal of the North High school, was in town last week.

—The ponds have been crowded with skaters this week; there were 500 people on Cranberry pond Monday afternoon.

—The cold wave of Saturday caused a general freezing up of water and steam pipes in a large number of factories and houses.

—Miss Hattie Ingalls of Taunton is visiting her cousin, Miss Alice Pierce.

—Miss Blanche Perry of Rockland, Me., is here on a visit to her sister Mrs. Chas. Thurston.

—Henry Donovan of Newark, N. J., is in town on a visit to his relatives.

—The regular monthly meeting of the South Shore Co-operative bank will be held next Monday evening.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Loretta P. Linton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Linton, and Mr. Gilbert P. Butterworth of Cincinnatti, Ohio, a member of the firm of Butterworth & Co., large shoe dealers of that city.

—Henry Ford met with a serious mishap Christmas Day. While coming out of the Catholic church with flowers in his hand he slipped and fell, fracturing his knee pan. He will probably be confined to the house for some weeks.

—The Republicans will hold a caucus at Arcanum hall tomorrow evening for the purpose of choosing a ward committee for 1893 and transacting other business.

—Safety lodge No. 95, N. E. O. P. elected the following officers Tuesday evening: Warden, B. F. Johnson, vice-warden, Chas. H. Loring; secretary, J. Dexheimer Jr.; financial secretary, Lorenzo White; treasurer, Francis M. Drown; chaplain, A. B. Swett; guide, W. B. Gutterson; guardian, Chas. P. Hunt; sentinel, John H. La Plant; trustee for three years, E. W. Hunt.

—Lorenzo White has been granted a pension of $8 per month.

—Dorick White has reopened the billiard and pool room underneath Hotel Wessagussett and has handsomely refitted it.

—Mr. Francis A. Hunt started Tuesday evening for his annual western trip. He expects to be gone about two months.

—Atherton N. Hunt is spending his holiday vacation in Weymouth.

—The schools reopen Monday morning.

—The hum of busy machinery indicates a prosperous business at Mr. F. E. Hobart's wrapper and waist factory.

—Rev. Thomas A. Hyde will preach and conduct the services at Trinity church, next Sunday, both morning and evening.

—T. P. Willey is about again after being confined to the house for some time with a slow fever.

—Major John W. Hart won a dozen cigars on the election and he smoked one of them the other day. This was the first cigar he had smoked for twenty years.

—A new barn is to be erected at once on the site of the one now occupied by H. L. Thayer.

—Lyman Williams has moved into one of the tenements in W. H. Clapp's Block on Washington street.

—Miss Bertha Chamberlin of Medfield is visiting Mrs. Chas. E. Bicknell.

—An electric light has been put up at the corner of Stetson and Broad streets; this is a great improvement; as heretofore there has not been a darker place in town.

—Peter White has taken a position with E. Bourk.

—Miss Edna Barry of Providence, R. I., is here on a visit to Miss Dolly White.

—Supt. G. C. Fisher of Pawtucket, has been visiting in town for several days. Mr. Fisher gives the highest praise to the teachers, working under him, who came from Weymouth and Braintree, and wishes he could have more from the same field of training.

—The week of prayer will be opened at the Baptist church by a meeting Monday afternoon at three o'clock, and a meeting will be held every evening except Saturday.

—William C. Mason who entered the Mass. Institute of Technology the present term, having passed a satisfactory examination in U. S. Tactics has been assigned the position of Lieutenant in the "Tech." battalion.

—There will be special services for the week of prayer, every evening next week at the Union church.

—The Norfolk County W. C. T. U. held their quarterly convention at the M. E. church, at East Weymouth, Thursday. The local Union was well represented. Mrs. Simeon Gutterson was appointed superintendent of the department of purity, for the county.

—Miss Lucille Mae Shepard who has been rendering such excellent service in the music of the Union Church, has been engaged as soprano of the quartette and musical director.

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South Weymouth Items.

—Frank Nolan, for the past few years clerk at the drug store of Elbridge Nash, has bought out a drug store in Whitman. Mr. Nolan has the best wishes of his friends in this village.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Hastings who have been in Europe for the past month returned home last week.

—At the meeting of the Union church last Thursday evening it was voted to give Rev. Judson V. Clancy, of Woonsocket, a unanimous call to become the pastor of the above named church.

—At the Union society meeting last Friday evening it was voted to concur with the church in extending a call to the Rev. J. V. Clancy to become the pastor of the Union church. This was quite an interesting meeting. Quite a number of new members were added to the society list.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bolster, of Dorchester, surprised the people of this village by a visit last Monday night. They attended the Christmas festival at the Union church and renewed many of their old acquaintances.

—Miss Ella Hutchins of Malden spent Christmas in town.

—One of the best concerts ever given by the members of Union church Sunday-school was last Sunday evening. The exercises were in charge of Mrs. L. A. Cook and Miss Mary A. Fogg. Music was furnished by the church choir. A very pretty feature was the exercise given by a number of the young ladies dressed in costumes of white and carrying wreaths of evergreen. The concert began at 6 o'clock on account of the younger members of the school who took part.

—The concert at the Universalist church was very pleasing to those who were privileged to hear it. The exercises, which consisted of recitations and songs, were carried out by the young people who were assisted by the choir.

—Abigail Adams Rebekah lodge will have a public installation of officers and a supper, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 4. Members of Wildey lodge with their wives have been invited. Please bear in mind that members of the Rebekah lodge are requested to furnish pastry, as heretofore.

—A number of citizens of this village are wondering if it is sufficient cause for divorce to have a book agent kneel to his wife.

—Work was begun last Wednesday at the icehouse of E. W. Shaw. They are cutting about 10 inches at present.

—Miss Mabel Hutchins made a short visit to this village this week, stopping with Miss Alice Willis.

—Owing to the severe cold weather and being Christmas eve the lecture on "Through London with Dickens" by F. O. Rose, was postponed and will be given this evening.

—Last week in reporting the Minstrel show of the Norfolk Cycle Club, one of the best features of the entertainment was left out. The topical song "There are Moments" by W. O. Lovell pleased the audience as much as anything on the programme.

—The people who do not attend the entertainments in the Co-operative Lyceum Course do not know what they miss. The next entertainment in the course will be an illustrated lecture on "Ben Hur" by R. O. Armstrong.

—Wildey Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F., last Monday evening elected the following officers: Walter H. Joy, N. G.; A. Everett Cushing, V. G.; Sumner Holbrook, R. S.; E. J. Pitcher, treasurer and J. Leonard Curtis, P. S. The above officers will be installed next Monday evening, Jan. 2, 1893, by D. D. G. M., Walter Hersey and suite of Hingham. Let all the members be present.

—Rev. Judson V. Clancy has accepted the call to become pastor of the Union Congregational church. He will occupy the pulpit for the first time as pastor Jan. 22nd. Mr. and Mrs. Clancy will move Jan. 17th.

—The best party of the season was the Sunset Party given by the Hawthorne club in Odd Fellow's hall last Monday afternoon. About sixty couples were on the floor.

—The fire-alarm whistle at the pumping station is not what is wanted by the people in this part of the town. It is not large enough or else it is not in the right position. While it is very difficult to hear our whistle in the night, the Quincy whistle can be heard very plainly. People were awakened Tuesday morning by what they thought was the Ward 5 alarm, but on making inquiries found that it was the Quincy. It was difficult to tell what box the alarm at 5.30, the same morning, was rung in from. Nearly everyone who heard it told a different box. The whistle on the Electric Light station could be heard more plainly than Ward 5. The alarm at 6.45 was very plain although not as loud as it should be. This matter should be looked into by the selectmen and the Board of Engineers.

—The different schools in this part of the village celebrated Christmas last Friday afternoon by having parties in their different school-rooms. The Bates Primary Grade had what was called an Orange party. Each school had different things and as this was visitor's day, exercises were given by the pupils. The teachers as well as some of the pupils were the recipients of many presents.

—The annual Christmas festival of the Universalist church was held in their vestry last Friday evening. Departing from the usual custom of having the Christmas pie, the tree covered with presents was used. Supper was served at about 6.30. There were 265 that sat down to supper, while more came in after supper. There was no entertainment.

—The Christmas festival of the Sunday-school connected with the Union church was held in the vestry last Monday evening. Supper was served to a large number at about 6.30. The usual Christmas tree was placed in the room and being trimmed with pop-corn, ornaments and presents for the little ones looked very pretty. The entertainment, which was enjoyed by all, was in charge of Mrs. Geo. B. Rogers and Miss Ella Mark.

—At the Bates Grammar school last Friday afternoon, the principal, Geo. B. Rogers, was presented with a handsome set of books. They were Chas. Dudley Warner's, entitled "In the Levant." The books are finely illustrated by photogravures and etchings.

—The fifth entertainment in the Co-operative course was given in Foggs Opera house last Tuesday evening by the Adamowski quartette of Boston assisted by Miss Julia King, reader. The quartette consists of the following members of the Boston Symphony orchestra: T. Adamowski, 1st violin; A. Moldauer, 2nd violin; C. Kountz, viola and J. Adamowski, cello. The following programme was given:

Quartette in G minor	Mozart.
Allegro, Menuetto, Adagio.	Finale.
Reading, "Helen Thamre"	Phelps.
Minuet	Boccherini.
Reading	Selected.
Scherzo	Gade.
Reading Letter Scene from Macbeth.	
Two Movements from Quartet,	Greig.

The quartette was one of the finest ever heard here and was heartily encored in all of its selections. Miss King was well received by the audience who was greatly pleased with her selections. She was recalled after every selection and responded to two.

FERO'S CORRESPONDENCE.

A. B. Loud went home Sunday saturated with fusil oil and with war in his eye. After breaking up furniture and using a knife quite freely he was put into the lockup. He will spend the rest of the holidays at the reformatory.

—Samuel N. Dyer, who passed away last Monday night after a painful sickness of enlargment of the liver, will be remembered by many friends in Weymouth as one of the most genial and sociable of others in the Masonic Circle.

—Mr. Marsh, our popular fish dealer, who has had considerable trouble with his knee, is at the Massachusetts hospital for treatment. His many friends are anxious for his speedy return.

—The residence of A. E. Vining is among the nicely painted ones of this village.

—Two hundred and sixty-five sat down to supper at the Christmas festival of the Universalist society last Friday evening.

—The South Boston Ice Co. is putting up a new building of immense size and is making preparations to store a large quantity of ice.

—Allen Vining drives a nice pair of horses; probably the best pair of road horses in the village.

—The residence of Mrs. Christopher Blanchard is closed for the winter.

—A new house is being erected just above the depot, by Fred Churchill, of Pond Plain, for one of our young men, Fred Stewart.

—Miss Emma Torry and Chester Ford, of this place, were united in marriage last Monday afternoon. Miss Torrey is one of our best young ladies, and the residents in the vicinity of Chesinut square will miss her very much.

—The Plymouth Agricultural society has received a gift from Mrs. Wm. Dyer of $500. The Weymouth A and I society is a candidate for just such a gift as that.

—We often meet a lady on Pond Plain with an elastic step and one who is cute and will entertain with many comical sayings. It is the widow of Benjamin Tirrell, who, next birthday will be ninety-four and we believe she is the oldest person in town. If there is one older let us know through the Gazette.

—The democrats as well as republicans will be pleased to have the governor reappoint Detective, Geo. C. Pratt, of North Abington. He is considered one of the best detectives in this section of the country and his re-appointment would be hailed with joy by his legion of friends. A letter has been sent to the governor signed by democrats, for that purpose.

PERO.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—The Sunday-school scholars of the Congregational church were made happy Saturday night by the distribution of presents among them, in the vestry of the church, by a genuine, flesh and blood Santa Claus. Gifts were not lacking for any one, even the pastor was not forgotten. Charles Blanchard made an ideal Santa Claus, and he well discharged his duty of relieving the heavily and preciously laden Christmas tree of its burden. In addition to this attractive feature of the evening's enjoyment was a short cantata entitled, "The Old Woman in the Shoe." The principal part was taken by Miss Mabel Cully, whose singing called forth much applause. An amusing number in the programme was a recitation by little Bessie Seabury.

—The Sunday-school concert Christmas night in the Universalist church was quite largely attended in spite of the inclement weather. The choir was led by a cornetet, Mr. Allen of Weymouth, who also played a solo with fine effect. The names of the children who took part in the concert are: Ollie Prouty, Roy Whiting, Alma Whiting, Arthur Kittredge, Lillie Ruggles, Susie Wolfe, Mabel Sampson, Lena Benkindorf, Louise Kittredge, Millie Harden, Carl Kidder, Bertha Ruggles, Wessie Sampson, Lutie Litchfield, Zenas Litchfield, Alice Barker, Mary Clubbuck, Bessie Cherrington, Louis Bates, Grace Beal. A charming solo was sung by Miss Mamie Flint, and she also led a responsive reading in excellent style. Extended remarks by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Eaton, concluded the exercises.

—Last week the local circle of King's daughters remembered some of the poor of Boston, to whom they gave an outing last summer, by sending them a large box of useful presents.

—George French, of Lynn, has been visiting his brother James B. French, this week.

—Those railroad sleepers lying along the sides of our streets do not add much to the beauty of the place, but there is an inward satisfaction in seeing them there, as serving, in the mind of the public, as a foundation on which it may place its faith that the electric road will, at no distant date, be in operation.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Holbrook, wife of the late John Holbrook, died Monday at the age of seventy-seven, of pneumonia. The funeral occurred on Wednesday, and the remains were taken to the Old North cemetery. Rev. Daniel Evans, of East Weymouth, conducted the services. The deceased was a native of Weymouth and a member of the Pilgrim church.

—Mr. Whipps has leased his farm of the Hardwick brothers for five years.

—David Ford is "making" real estate out of the boggy land bordering upon Great Hill beach, by dumping thereon cartloads of leather "chips" from the factory of Torrey, Bullivant & Co. Surely real estate must be on the rise here, if we, like Boston, have a Back Bay district.

—The school children and others with spare time at their disposal are enjoying skating this week. "Rock Bottom" has many skaters skimming over its frozen surface these moonlight nights.

—John A. Holbrook's factory was closed the entire past week.

—Edwin R. Sampson is at home from Tufts College spending a short vacation.

—The report of the death of John McDonald, formerly an overseer for David Ford, is contradicted. There was, nevertheless, some misunderstanding as to the identity of the man in the hospital, referred to last week, and he was at first supposed to be McDonald.

—Leonard Wolfe has gone to work at Carrol's, and Lemuel Torrey at Clapp's.

—John McIsaac has taken the position of baggage-master at the East Weymouth station.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Walker spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Sydney Dunbar, at West Medford.

—D. M. Kidder informs us that the high pressure was felt here exactly three minutes after the alarm of fire was rung in, Tuesday morning.

—There are many "vacant chairs" each afternoon nowadays, in O. P. Fisher's tin shop. Indeed, in the daytime it is difficult to find enough players to make up a four-handed game of cribbage. The absence of these men is explained by the fact that most of them, who have been compelled to remain idle for lack of work, have found something to do in the shoe shops.

—It looks as though the boot and shoe trade was improving, and it is earnestly hoped by everyone that there will be no let up of work for the men in the shops for a long time to come.

—It is understood that Lemuel Torrey has withdrawn his objections to the giving of lectures on the Bible in the tin shop and that these talks will be given as usual on Saturday evenings.

—E. R. Short, a new book-keeper in the office of the Bradley Fertilizer Co., will move his family from Tiverton, R. I., to this town. They will move into one part of the house occupied by W. S. Harrington.

—At a meeting of the Massachusetts Aids-de-Camp, of Gen. Weissert's staff, F. A. Lewis was chosen treasurer.

—Wednesday evening, officers of the Pilgrim Fathers were elected. The installation occurs Tuesday, January 10, and will be followed by a hot supper.

—Oysters, oysters everywhere, and all the oysters you could possibly eat. This slight variation of a familiar quotation would fittingly describe the supper given by the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Congregational church, Tuesday evening.

—The Boston Concert Co. composed of Miss Velma Lawton Curtis, soprano; William P. Hayden, violinist; A. G. Gillespie, corneter; B. H. Dill, piano accompanist; Gardner Crane, reader, gave a concert in the Universalist church, Tuesday, before a crowded house. The company was secured through the kindness of Mr. Hayden. An unfortunate accident, which made his instrument unfit for use, prevented the corneter from performing his share of the programme. Mr. Crane won the popular favor immediately. The sterling qualities of his first piece, and his rendering of it, were very "taking." Each number given by the reader was followed by an encore. The singing of Miss Curtis received much applause, and she undoubtedly has a remarkably sweet voice. The next lecture will be given January 10, by George W. Bicknell, D. D., of Cambridge.

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DEDHAM COURT AND REGISTRY MATTERS.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 21, 1892.—Judge White held a probate court session for Norfolk county at Dedham today, and transacted the following business of interest to our readers:

The will of Johanna Healey, late of Weymouth, Edward P. Paine, executor, bond $1500, was allowed.

The first and final account of Joy B. Crawford, as administrator of the estate of Betsy Tirrell, late of Weymouth, for $59,146.92, was allowed, as also was the thirteenth of Amos W. Stetson, as executor of the will of James P. Thorndike, late of Braintree, for $802,142.52.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 28, 1892.—In the Norfolk Superior Criminal Court in this town Frank R. Williamson, of Braintree, for larceny of a gun was given 6 months in the Dedham house of correction; Charles F. Spear, of Braintree, was judged as being insane and was sent to the Taunton Insane Asylum; Thomas J. Sullivan, of Braintree, for breaking and entering was sent to the Massachusetts Reformatory at Concord for an unlimited term; George Green, colored, for a break and entery at Braintree was convicted on that charge and given 25 years in the Charlestown state prison.

In the liquor nuisance case of James J. Clark, of Avon, for sales made in Weymouth, the jury disagreed.

In the manslaughter case against Mrs. Anna M. Makepeace of Avon, who shot her husband, Clarence E. Makepeace, Sept. 25, 1891, the jury Monday morning returned a disagreement. They stood 9 for conviction and 3 for acquittal.

The court Wednesday adjourned sine die. Judge White held a probate court for Norfolk county at Hyde Park today and transacted a small amount of business. The only matter of interest to our readers was that A. Elliott Vining, Gordon Willis and Lizzie L. Whitman, as a board of appraisers, filed their inventory on the estate of May H. Marlow, late of Weymouth, as follows: real estate, $6, personal estate, $263.

The following are the latest real estate conveyances as made in Braintree and Weymouth and recorded in the Norfolk Registry in this town:

William A. Drake and other to Abbie I. Estes, Weymouth, for $1.

Joseph DeYoung to Frank Landry, Braintree, for $300.

William A. Drake and other to Hiram Nadel, Weymouth, for $150.

Catherine Hennessey to Cornelius G. Flynn, Braintree, for $1.

Jane Grundstrom to Albert F. Clapp, Weymouth, for $1950.

Eliphalet G. Cutter to James H. Flint, Weymouth, for $1.

Sarah Freel to Susan A. M. Lake, Braintree, for $1.

Rose E. Santos to Mary McDonald, Weymouth, for

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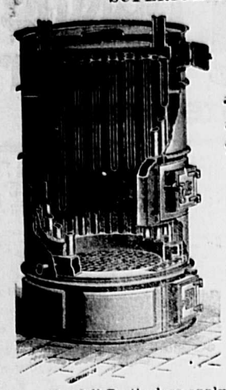

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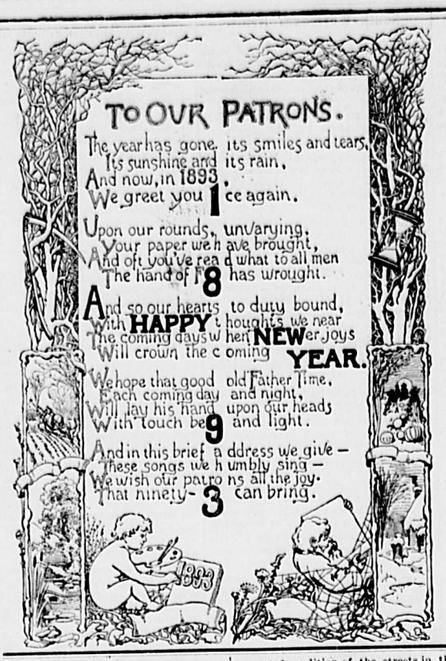

THE WEEK IN BOSTON.

Senatorial Prize Still a Subject of Speculation.—Quincy's Probable Mistake.

There are those who believe that Josiah Quincy made a mistake at the Reform club dinner when he advocated in his speech the candidacy of Henry Cabot Lodge for the United States senate. Of course the friends of the Nahant statesman are beside themselves with joy at this boom for their first choice in the senatorial contest, but those who prefer some one else look upon Mr. Quincy's voluntary and unsolicited indorsement of Mr. Lodge as smacking of a cheap order of interference in a matter that came somewhat outside his realm of political action. No doubt Mr. Lodge feels very thankful for what Mr. Quincy said of him and probably believes that it will be of material assistance to him when the time comes for landing the big prize.

Henry S. Thatcher has been mentioned in connection with the collectorship of this port, and the fact that he is a merchant of well known standing lends significance to the rumor that he will probably succeed to the very fat position now held by Alonson W. Beard. Mr. Thatcher is a wealthy wool dealer of this city, and, if appointed, will have the indorsement of the entire business community.

The report going about the city that the Young Men's Democratic club is going to dispense the federal patronage in this state during Mr. Cleveland's administration is the rankest kind of nonsense and deserves no consideration whatever. Mr. Cleveland will come pretty near consulting such men as P. A. Collins and Josiah Quincy before making appointments to the higher positions in the government service. He could not undertake to make a personal inquiry into the fitness of all the men who will be mentioned for postmaster, collector, United States marshal, collector of internal revenue, surveyor of the port and naval officer, therefore he must depend, in great measure, upon what information he can obtain from gentlemen in whom he reposes the highest confidence and who are not looking out for their own aggrandizement.

While the Young Men's Democratic club put in some heavy licks for Mr. Cleveland, yet it was only a minor event in bringing about his election. Political workers and political clubs had very little to do in making Mr. Cleveland president, a fact that no one knows better than he, and his administration will be run with this fact constantly in mind. Neither politicians nor political organizations are going to have a corner on the offices during the next four years.

Now that Colonel Coveney's name has been disassociated from the collectorship his friends are saying that he would make an excellent postmaster. There is no doubt of it, but will he have an opportunity to display his fitness in this direction? There are very few outside the colonel's set who incline to this view.

Our brilliant board of aldermen has effected another salary grab on the ground that their services are not now properly compensated. Such talent would be dear at 15 cents a year and it takes aldermanic gall to deny this.

Corporation with a Soul.

One of Boston's big dry goods emporiums has introduced a most commendable feature in its establishment—that of a well equipped gymnasium where the 1500 girls in the firm's employ are privileged to go once a week and use the various apparatus designed for the development of their physical bodies. The scheme has proven immensely popular, and, no doubt, will result in untold benefits to those who have taken advantage of it. In speaking of the matter one of the wealthy proprietors to place within the means of its employes this health-giving exercise, the senior member said: "I am a firm believer in the elevation of woman, and for those stooped and bent during business there is nothing more exhilerating as such exercise as a well kept gymnasium affords. Our business has advanced many new ideas for women, and other establishments have followed our example. The girls will be brighter the next day after visiting the gym, more attentive to customers and feel stronger and happier. It is a good scheme for a speculator to take the best of care of his help. I even employ a physician, who spends an hour at the store every day." The hints thrown out by this humane Boston dry goods man may be adopted by other employers of large numbers of girls, and the time may not be far distant when there will be a general move to counteract the destructive influences which are now at work reducing the race to puny, pale faced, crooked backed, deplorable specimens of humanity as compared to the robust physique of the fathers a century back.

Poll Tax Collections.

A big hole will be punched in the city's finances this year owing to the disinclination to pay poll taxes. Their payment now is not a prerequisite for voting, hence the apathy. When it was, the various political committees liquidated for the delinquents and thus saved the city a great amount of annoyance. While the law still requires that this tax shall be paid, yet there will be thousands of people who will ignore it, as they have little fear of being prosecuted. While the collectors make a big bluff in their notices to those who have failed to settle, yet it is believed there is not a case on record in recent years where an attempt has been made to force a collection. Of course the refusal to meet this obligation means that many thousands of dollars will fail to reach the city treasury and that the amount will have to be made up in some other way. It would scarcely be believed that more than one-half of the male residents of this city are mean enough to dodge this small levy, but such is the fact.

Rapid Transit Again.

That ever fruitful topic of discussion "rapid transit in Boston," is again before the public, this time introduced by the Associated Board of Trade. The board is in favor of the proposed plan of amending the constitution of the state which shall give to every city the right to widen and extend its streets at any time when in the judgment of its citizens such improvements are demanded by the necessities of trade. This is a very good starter, but it will not amount to anything practical from the fact that individual interests will suffer no matter what scheme is proposed. This individual interest element that enters into any consideration looking to the facilitating of business in our public thoroughfares is of sufficient power to block any and all projects advanced to bring about this much needed reform. It is unfortunate that the city is hampered in this way, as every day gives added emphasis to the necessities of doing something to ease the congested condition of the streets in the heart of the business center. To any one who cares to inform himself on this matter it is only necessary to stand at the corner of Washington street and Temple place or at the corner of Tremont and Boylston streets at 6 o'clock in the evening and observe the almost inextricable massing of teams and street cars at these points. Thousands of working people are sometimes delayed fully an hour in reaching their homes, while passengers destined for the railway stations are frequently compelled to hire hacks and hacks to get them to their trains. Express wagons are also caught in these blockades and merchandise destined for some particular train is often held over on account of the lateness of its arrival. All this results in immense loss and inconvenience, but still no tangible results are forthcoming from all the talkee talkee that has been given to this subject.

Restricted Immigration.

Boston is now having her say on the question of restricted immigration. Most of the other important cities of the country have expressed their views on this question already. The local crusade against the foreign element has been started by the Boston Merchants' association, and at a meeting held the other day a report was submitted by a committee having the immigration matter in charge. They say that all immigrants to this country should be subjected to a threefold inspection or sifting process with a view to determine their character and qualifications to make good citizens. This suggestion is not a new one, it having been advanced by L. M. Montgomery, chief of the special agents of the treasury department in this city three years ago. His plan also called for a certificate of the immigrant's moral and financial standing from the chief local officer of the city or town from whence he came, this to be made out in triplicate—one copy to be sent to the treasury department at Washington, another to the collector of the port where the vessel was to enter and the third to be kept by the United States counsel before whom the immigrant made declaration that he came within the requirements of the law regulating immigration to this country. He went still further and proposed that Europe and Great Britain be divided into districts, to each of which a customs officer should be assigned to make personal investigation, as far as practicable, of those who signified an intention of making the United States their home. Of course this would be a pretty expensive undertaking, but the benefits that would flow from it would justify the outlay.

Suppressing Gambling.

Boston has earned for herself a new plume and there are those who are encouraged to believe that the present era will do much toward compelling respect for the gambling laws of the commonwealth. The event that has re-established confidence in this direction came off in the superior court last week when Judge Braley fined six pool-sellers $200 each for registering bets. The parties were convicted in the municipal court, appealed to the superior court and finally took their cases to the supreme court on exceptions, which were overruled. This is one of the healthiest signs of the times seen in Boston for many years. For months this gang has openly defied the laws on gaming, and while the police have made spasmodic efforts to close up the dens run by these men nothing substantial has resulted until now. There is not a city in the country that exhibits a greater penchant for gambling than does the great and good Hub. This desire to take risks permeates all conditions of society and exists to no less an extent on the Back Bay than it does at the North End. Statistics of the Louisiana lottery show that "moral" Boston buys more tickets in this gigantic fraud than any other city in the United States, with the possible exception of San Francisco. While the goody-goodys of Massachusetts have done much to discourage lotteries in other states, yet her people have at the same time given them more encouragement than any other section of the whole country.

Music and the Drama.

For the first time this season the Tremont theatre has an attraction that fills every seat in the house. The Bostonians opened there Monday evening and the demand for sittings was far in excess of the supply. J. H. Barnaby continues to be one of Boston's greatest favorites, and so long as he remains a member of the company good business is assured.

DeWolf Hopper's "Wang" opened at the Globe Monday evening to a big house. Hopper is always amusing, but he should hustle about and get a new play. It business is not as good as when he was last here with this attraction he should not interpret it to a lack of appreciation of himself, but to the fact that his play has joined the chestnut brigade.

Charlie Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" packs the little Park to its utmost limits every night. At each performance the author is called before the curtain and vociferously applauded. "A Temperance Town" is absolutely without literary merit, but it catches the public and their dollars, and what more can a manager desire?

Music loving Boston was startled last Saturday evening when it listened to the marvelous piano playing of little Signorina Eugenia Castellana, who appeared in conjunction with the Symphony orchestra at Music hall. She is only 16 years of age, and, all things considered, her equal was never heard in this city.

The late engagement of Rosina Vokes says more eloquently than words that she is played out in this section. Boston has given her a patient hearing for nearly a decade and this ought to satisfy her. There are a few other veterans who would make money by staying away from here.

There was never a time when so many theatrical people were laid up on account of sickness as now. Many of the managers are put to their wit's ends to fill the vacancy, as the saying goes.

"The Crust of Society" has proven one of the greatest hits of the season. Mr. Stetson has taken it to the Union Square, New York, for three weeks, and longer if other bookings can be cancelled.

"Babes in the Wood" is in its eighth week. On the evening of the fiftieth performance the event was celebrated by the distribution of handsome souvenir programs.

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He—Dearest, we shall have to be very economical for the first year. I don't think I can let you have more than one garment, as you will have your trousseau.

She—That is for you to say, darling; but can I select it myself?

He—Certainly, my own. What were you thinking of?

She—I was thinking what style of sealskin would become me best.—Cloak Review.

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And snow is falling on the ground,
With hurried step that never lags
He trudges on his ceaseless round.
No time has he to pause and think,
But in and out each patron's gate
He walks like one who knows full well
The path of duty is not straight.

When spring with budding blossoms comes,
And winter yields to nature's art,
And mellow breezes softly blow,
He steps along with buoyant heart,
And to our door the papers brings
That tell their tales in prose and rhyme;
And one by one forth from his hand
They fall like scattered leaves of Time.

And when the torrid rays beat down,
And summer days have come once more,
In rain or shine, he never fails
To leave his message at our door.
No time has he for idle thoughts
But ever on his way plods he,
Along his beaten path of life
With sober regularity.

Throughout the year, when flowers bloom forth
Or snow is falling on the ground,
With hurried step that never lags
He trudges on his ceaseless round.

A herald of the times, he bears
A sign of human joy and woe,
And so each year we're glad to sing
The praises of the Carrier Boy.

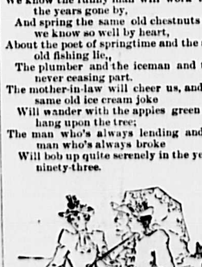
IN 1893.

The future is before us, and it's hard for us to say
Just what is going to happen in the year that is ahead;
The sun may freeze quite solid, or the earth may melt away;
We may be here and kicking, or we may be very dead.
But though we may not prophesy in whole the coming year,
Or write down quite exactly what events are going to be,
Some things are going to happen that today are very clear
If we revolve as usual in the year of ninety-three.

For instance, when the snow lies thick upon the frozen ground,
And George takes Susan sleighing, and the horse displays no haste,
As they glide on serenely, with no other sleighs around,
You may be sure that Susan has an arm around her waist;

For in the future, in the past, some things we know are true;
And when two human beings are together, you'll agree,
If one of them's a pretty girl, just as in ninety-two,
She'll have an arm around her waist in eighteen ninety-three.

We know the funny man will work as in the years gone by,
And spring the same old chestnuts that we know so well by heart,
About the poet of springtime and the stale old fishing lie,
The plumber and the iceman and their never ceasing part.
The mother-in-law will cheer us, and the same old ice cream joke
Will wander with the apples green that hang upon the tree;
The man who's always lending and the man who's always broke
Will bob up quite serenely in the year of ninety-three.



We know the summer girls will come when warmer breezes blow
To cheer us by their presence when the torrid rays beat down,
And down upon the seashore will they wander to and fro,
Obedient to the fancy of the only man from town.
And when, by grand old ocean or by rippling mountain rill,
We've had our next vacation and once more to home we flee,
We know, as in the bygone years, the summer hotel bill
Will be as steep as ever in the year of ninety-three.

We know that wives will shop all day and never buy a thing,
And then in fifteen minutes will get rid of all our cash;
We know some folks will drive us wild who think that they can sing,
And boarding houses will turn out their daily grind of hash.
And when it's time for mistletoe to hang above the door
Each maiden fair will view it with the old time Christmas glee;
And girls who haven't got a spray will not their fate deplore—
They'll get along without it in the year of ninety-three.

As Father Time moves onward, and we go from year to year,
The same old facts confront us in our onward, erring way;
The things that have been, will be, is an axiom quite clear,
The dust of our tomorrow is the earth of our today.
In summer, with its sultry heat, or in the time of snow,
Some things will surely come to pass, as we can plainly see,
And so, just as in ninety-two, dear reader, you must know
You'll get your paper promptly in the year of ninety-three.

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JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier.

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Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.15, 11.20 A.M.; 1.10, 2.35, 3.52, 4.40, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.15 P.M. **Return,** 5.50, 7.12, 7.55, 8.14, 8.48, 10.20 A.M.; 1.03, 3.41, 4.43, 5.43, 6.00, 7.52, 10.00 P.M.

No. Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.15, 11.20 A.M.; 1.10, 2.35, 3.52, 4.40, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.15 P.M. **Return,** 5.45, 7.07, 7.50, 8.11, 8.41, 10.21 A.M.; 12.58, 3.37, 4.34, 5.38, 7.48, 10.02 P.M.

East Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.15, 11.20 A.M.; 1.10, 2.35, 3.52, 4.40, 5.10, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.15 P.M. **Return,** 5.40, 7.02, 7.45, 8.02, 8.40, 10.16 A.M.; 12.54, 3.33, 4.35, 5.32, 5.52, 7.44, 9.58 P.M.

So. Weymouth, 5.45, 8.30, 11.02 A.M.; 1.10, 2.30, 3.46, 4.45, 5.30, 6.25, 11.10 P.M. **Return,** 5.46, 6.33, 7.33, 8.28, 10.30 A.M.; 12.44, 2.32, 4.31, 6.19, 7.52 P.M.

So. Weymouth Special to the Abingtons and Whitman, 6.00 A.M.; 6.38 P.M. Return from Whitman, 11.24 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS

LEAVE BOSTON FOR

Weymouth. North Weymouth and East Weymouth, 9.15 A.M.; 12.45, 5.45 P.M. **Return,** leave East Weymouth 8.51 A.M.; 5.32, 8.45 P.M. North Weymouth 8.56 A.M.; 5.50 P.M. Weymouth, 9.01 A.M.; 5.36, 5.55 P.M.

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Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of . . . any . . . disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding $100.

Sec. 43. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.

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